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Canadian investor seeking bigger share of Bethel Bancorp

Has support of management, most shareholders

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A Canadian investor has filed with the federal Office of Thrift Supervision and the Maine Bank Superintendent for approval to "acquire control" of Bethel Bancorp, the holding company for Bethel Savings Bank, F.S.B. and Brunswick Federal Savings, F.A.

"Control" under the terms of securities regulations is 25 percent or more of a public company's stock.

According to Bob Studley, principal bank examiner for the state's banking agency, Ronald Goguen of Moncton, New

Brunswick has applied for approval to acquire up to 40 percent of the local Bancorp's stock.

The application has been made in the name of Goguen's affiliate corporation, Square Lake Holding Corp. of Presque Isle, which has offered \$1 million for a special issue of Bancorp preferred stock and warrants.

Goguen is currently a director of the Bancorp, and Square Lake is already the company's largest shareholder.

Square Lake's application to acquire the additional shares has the support of the Bancorp's

management and the majority of its current shareholders.

Jim Delamater, president and CEO of the Bancorp, said "Both the management and board of directors of Bethel Bancorp are pleased with the terms of this transaction, as well as the relationship between Mr. Goguen and the company."

At the Bancorp's annual meeting in October, shareholders voted "overwhelmingly," according to Delamater, to authorize the sale.

Delamater said the proceeds of the offering would be used to strengthen the Bancorp's already "very strong" capital base and to pay down existing debt from the 1989 purchase of Brunswick Federal Savings.

Delamater dismissed the "acquire control" aspect of the transaction as a legal formality.

"Goguen doesn't have control and is not looking to have control," Delamater said. "We're very fortunate to have that kind of guy to work with, someone who believes his capital will do well with us."

Some local dissent

Bank examiner Studley said applications such as the one filed by Square Lake are "fairly rare in Maine." To his knowledge, he said, this is the first instance in at least three years of an individual seeking such control over a Maine bank.

A number of small, local shareholders--most of whom



BETHEL BANCORP SENIOR MANAGEMENT is welcoming Robert Goguen's offer to purchase an additional \$1 million of stock.

Committee hopes to develop new housing options for the elderly

By WENDY HANSCOM

When Bethel area residents are no longer able to live in their own homes, but don't need nursing home care, what do they do?

Many are forced to leave their community ties behind and search for alternative housing outside the Bethel area.

Members of the Community Retirement Living Committee say they want to provide another choice for retirees, one that would keep them in the community.

The committee is hoping lots of research and leg work will show Bethel can support an elderly independent living center for the elderly.

The committee has spent over 200 hours researching the idea.

They have also visited several such complexes.

Committee member Jean Bass said she hopes the study will attract a developer to the project.

"Some elderly people need alternative housing because they can't maintain their own home," Bass said, "but don't need the level of care that a nursing home provides."

Most of the housing complexes the committee has visited offer some degree of "assisted living," she said, such as organized activities at the center, field trips, trash and snow removal, laundry facilities, on-call medical personnel and at least one meal a day in a community dining room.

"This kind of congregate living

provides an option for people who do not qualify for subsidized housing because they have some equity," Bass said.

"People don't want to leave this area just because there isn't the right type of facility here," said committee member Walter Hatch. "They want to stay part of the community."

Bethel offers a number of activities for retirees, Bass said, including NTL courses, Mahosue Arts and Gould Academy performances, a wide range of SAD 44 Adult Education classes and more. The area also provides access to numerous outdoor activities such as skiing, hiking and canoeing, she added.

"This is a place that encourages people to stay active," Hatch said. The committee is affiliated with the Bethel Area Health Center and is working toward getting a grant for a demographic study.

If the demographics look good, then the group hopes to do a marketing study to gauge interest in the project more closely, Hatch said.

The committee may go as far as lining up names of people interested in living at an elderly congregate housing facility, Bass said. Then prospective developers would be contacted.

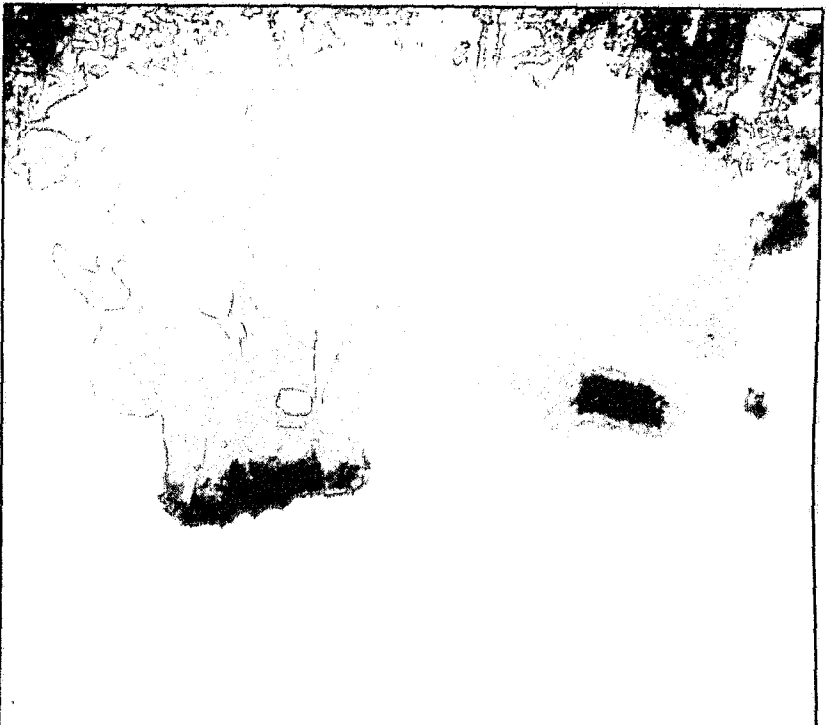
"We hope to establish there is a market for the project," Hatch said. "We'll take it as fast as we can, but we're all resigned to a long-term effort."

Bass said information the committee's collected so far indicates that the facility should consist of 40 to 50 units to make it profitable. The complex would probably be located fairly close to the Bethel village, she said.

The cost of living in most assisted living centers ranges from about \$850 to over \$3,000 per month, Bass said.

The more assisted living program services a person signs up for, Bass said, the more expensive the rent

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UP TO HIS BELLY IN THE WHITE STUFF--Gould math instructor Rudy Penczer shows that this season we've got some serious snow hereabouts. Penczer was one of the co-leaders of the school's junior-point winter camping expedition, which included eight days of mountaineering on snowshoes. Each of the Academy's classes recently completed its annual four-points experiential project.

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WINNING WEDGIE ON MOONSTRUCK--Maine Gov. John McKernan uses a classic wedge turn to carve his way to a first place finish in the final leg of the New England Governors' Ski Challenge, held Monday on Sunday River's Moonstruck trail. Each of the three northern New England governors won the individual race when it was held in his home state, but the Maine state team handily took the overall team title, and will hold the victory trophy until next year. McKernan use the opportunity of Monday's victory to praise the economic impact of skiing on the Maine economy. Despite the state's budget woes, the governor has proposed nearly tripling the state's tourism promotion budget for the coming year, and skiing and snowmobiling, he said, will be the focus of those extra dollars.

(Photo by Sharon McNeill/Sunday River)

Bus boss: School buses need radios

By WENDY HANSCOM

The director of the SAD 44 transportation department told the school board Monday night that the bus fleet needs a new two-way radio system.

Transportation Director Richard "Sonny" Blake said the new system would include a base unit, antenna at the bus garage and 33 radios at a cost of approximately \$42,500.

"I'd like to think we're not here begging," Blake said, "but I guess we are. We need better communication for our school buses. It's become increasingly difficult for us to run the transportation department the way we should."

Blake said that currently if a child gets on the wrong bus, the department has no way of knowing which bus he got on until all bus drivers are back at the garage, which means a child may be missing for up to two hours.

Blake said some parents are outraged that their children can't be located quicker.

Most district buses have CB radios, he said, but the radios have short ranges.

"Twenty years ago a parent might not have worried about not knowing where their child is," he said, "but in today's society they want to know right away."

Blake said the radios would also allow busdrivers to report break-

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Town Meetings: Greenwood expenses up slightly

By WENDY HANSCOM

Greenwood's mil rate, currently \$13.80 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, will probably go by about a dollar if voters approve all 52 warrants at Saturday's annual Town Meeting. Voters will also consider several tax and property issues.

The town's proposed municipal budget is up approximately \$42,000 over last year's budget--up to \$378,182 from \$335,515.

First Selectman Marie Bartlett said selectmen are estimating this year's total budget at \$804,182. That figure includes "guesstimates"

for school and county tax levies, Bartlett said.

The town's Fire Department is also asking for more money for equipment this year.

Last year voters approved \$11,500 for the department, but this year the department is asking for \$18,000. Most of the increase will be used to buy equipment to meet state mandates regarding the handling of hazardous waste.

One budget item not going up this year is salaries for town officials and employees. Bartlett said that for the third year in a row everyone on the town payroll has volunteered to

work for another year at their present salary.

New items

New on the warrant this year is a request for \$25,000 from surplus for reevaluation of the town. Bartlett said the reevaluation will be done over two years for a total of \$50,000.

The town's surplus or "fund balance" account had \$283,052 as of Dec. 31, 1992, Bartlett said.

The selectmen are also asking for permission of allocate \$75,000 of

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Andover OKs higher legal budget, mandatory recycling

By RICH PLANTE

Sixty Andover voters at a seven-hour town meeting Saturday approved \$20,000 for legal services, gave selectmen authority to start a mandatory recycling program when the dump is closed, legalized the Board of Appeals, and denied two fire department rescue requests.

Voters also elected Kathy Williamson as selectman, with 203 votes to Gerald Schachter's 33. Brad Thibodeau was elected to the SAD 44 Board of Directors, with 162 votes to Gregory Peaslee's 83. Betsy Poor White was elected treasurer with 182 votes. Peaslee, who also ran for the office, had 53 votes. Phyllis Spaulding was

elected as both tax collector and clerk, defeating Kim Stinson by votes of 186 to 51 and 181 to 62.

While voters approved the \$20,000 recommended by the selectmen versus the \$10,000 Budget Committee recommendation, many citizens abstained from voting.

Noting that the account was over-drafted by 5 percent last year, Selectmen Chairman Brian Mills said there are two lawsuits still pending against the town and selectmen decided to recommend doubling the account.

Town Treasurer Al Legault, who was elected moderator of the meeting after several declined the nomination, said that the legal ser-

vice account was overdrafted by \$2,424 last year, and a large bill of \$1,400 or \$1,700 was already paid this year for legal costs.

Fred Emerson, a former selectman, asked about the MCI tax appeal case, and Mills said the state tax appeals board may hear the case within 30 days. Referring to the two cases still in litigation, Emerson then made a motion to approve \$20,000 and it was passed.

Under the discussion of the various insurance accounts, selectman candidate Gerald Schachter asked if

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West Paris voters agreeable

West Paris voters approved all but one of the 72 warrant articles considered at Tuesday's annual Town Meeting.

This year's municipal budget totals \$296,728 up \$523 from last year's budget.

The 80 voters at Tuesday's meeting elected not to install a street light in front of the Pit Stop on Route 2, but passed the remaining articles.

Road Commissioner Willard Keach was reelected and voters also approved extending the road commissioner's term from one year to three years.

Several voters said increasing the term to three years could make it difficult to get rid of an ineffective road commissioner. But Joe Makley argued that one year was not long enough for a road commissioner to organize his programs or to be judged on his effectiveness.

The article was ultimately ap-

proved and will go into effect at the 1994 Town Meeting.

Voters also balked at, but ultimately approved, putting away \$7,000 toward the town's share of repairs to Route 219.

The road serves as the town's

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Opinions

Guest Editorial

By BETH NAGUSKY

Central Maine Power is telling its customers that state policies promoting conservation will drive electric rates "through the roof." CMP has said it is "cutting (conservation) programs left and right" and that it wants to sell more of its surplus power by pricing electricity to encourage use.

One certainly could get the impression from listening to CMP that conservation is a bad idea in the 1990s and that conservation is responsible for driving electric rates sky high. Wrong on both counts. Whenever CMP can save energy for less than it costs to produce it, it saves us money. Every kilowatt you save is one you don't have to pay for. And, every kilowatt saved avoids the need to build and to run dirty, expensive power plants.

So why are electric rates so high? In the 1960s and 1970s, utilities told us that new technology, such as nuclear power, would soon result in power "too cheap to meter." They offered cash bonuses to contractors to build all-electric homes. They also encouraged high electric use by lowering rates as we consumed more power.

In the early 1980s, the utilities told us that power demand would continue to grow and we would need large-scale projects like the Seabrook nuclear plant and Hydro-Quebec. The state Public Utilities Commission (PUC) disagreed.

The PUC told Maine utilities to get out of Seabrook and not buy power from Hydro-Quebec. It told the utilities to buy cheaper power instead: from conservation programs, small-scale hydro dams and new wood-fired power plants. If our utilities had bought into Seabrook and Hydro-Quebec, in all probability our rates would be even higher now.

By 1990, it became clear that demand for power was not growing. In fact, with the recession, warm winter weather, and increased conservation, Maine now faces a power glut. As the utilities' fixed costs are spread over shrinking energy sales, our rates go up. Again, and again, and again. And those people who were enticed to buy all-electric homes in the 60s and 70s are feeling it the worst.

So now what does CMP want to do? It wants to "suspend" some of its low-cost energy conservation programs and entice us to buy more power through "promotional pricing." Of course, this increased consumption will not only use up the excess power that is available today, but it will ultimately require us to build expensive power plants. This will drive up rates again. Sound familiar? This is what got us into this mess in the first place!

Imagine getting a pair of pants and they're seven sizes too big. Would you go on an eating binge so you could gain 80 pounds and fit in the pants? Or would you return the pants for the right size? Well, we're stuck with oversized pants, and now the utilities want us to eat enough to make them fit!

There are more sensible ways to reduce rates than by dismantling low-cost conservation programs. If CMP wants to cut costs, it should examine whether it really needs 15 vice presidents. And, if utilities want to sell more power to bring rates down, then let's consider promoting electricity only where it is a more efficient and cleaner power source than oil, such as electric cars, heat pumps and other technologies. But let's not repeat our past mistakes. When someone tells you that saving electricity costs more, remember: Every kilowatt you save is one you don't have to pay for, no matter how high the rates are.

--Nagusky is a staff attorney for the Natural Resources Council of Maine

FROM THE

Bethel Town Office

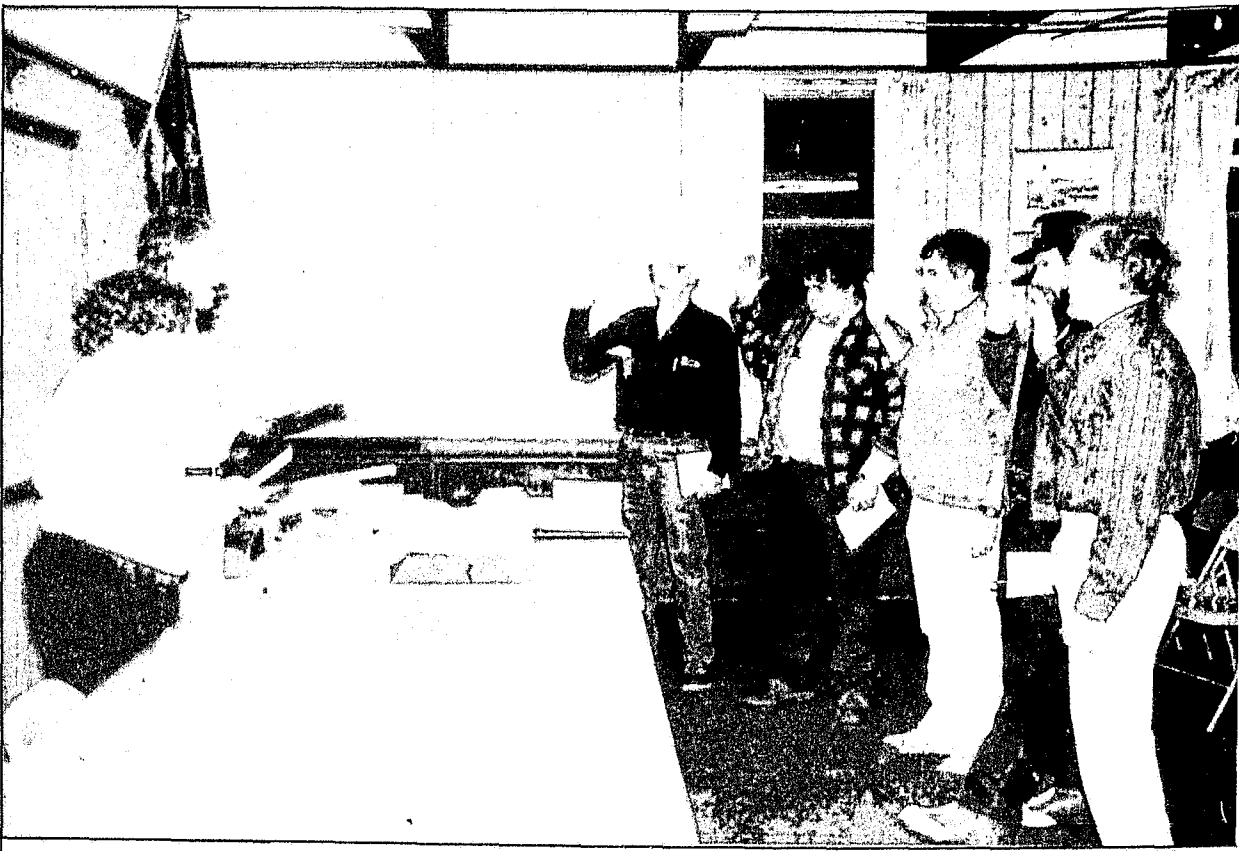
Belated thanks are offered to Gaudreau's Repair, Sherwood Jordan, and several firefighters for their volunteer efforts to put the 1977 Dodge pickup in service. The vehicle was acquired at no cost through the Maine Department of Conservation Forestry Service from the federal government through a surplus equipment program. It has now been painted and outfitted, and is contributing to the efficient response of the Bethel Fire Department.

There is a growing problem at the recycling center with contamination of the property and the material by dogs. Our attendant asks that you not allow your animals out of your vehicle while you're at the center. Please keep in mind that this is his work area, and he must handle the materials. He cleans up after us now, don't make him also clean up after your pet. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Finally, I would like to say a word about the overreaction by some citizens to the road-posting policy recently adopted by the Board. Like almost every other town in Oxford County, Bethel has always posted roads in mud season. The selectmen are simply making the process legal by adopting formal rules for what has been a common practice for years. While the Board voted to post all local roads, the posting is only in effect on a road, or section of road which actually has a poster at each end. The weight restriction only applies when the temperature is above 32 degrees Fahrenheit and there is visible thawing of the road surface. Several types of vehicles are exempt, and permits are available for those who can prove dire need. The state permits are also recognized by the town.

The road crew and police have been instructed to make no changes in their normal procedure of warning truckers off posted roads. However, if the hoopla which has now been created encourages some people to push the limits, please be aware that enforcement will ensue. If someone gets into trouble about this issue, it will only be because they asked for trouble. The best thing for heavy vehicle drivers to do, for the town and themselves, is to use good judgement before using a road. When in doubt about the status of a road, feel free to talk it over with the road foreman.

Madeleine E. Henley
Bethel Town Manager



THE MORE THINGS CHANGE . . . Newry voters reelected the town's entire slate of officers at last week's annual Town Meeting. Taking their oath, administered by Moderator Les Otten, are Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector Sylvia Gray, clockwise from left, Otten, Selectman Willard Wight, Road Commissioner Virgil Konkright, Selectman Steve Wight, Constable and Dog Officer Alan Fleet and Selectman Jim Sysko.

Letters to the editor

PROJECT GRADUATION

To the Editor:

The Project Graduation Committee has been meeting regularly. Fundraising is essential to our programs and currently raffle tickets are on sale for a VCR, at one dollar each. A karaoke dance party sponsored by OHHS, BHS, THS and the Army National Guard is being held at OHHS on April 9 from 8 to 12 p.m. for grades nine to 12. We need help selling tickets—please call Gail or Gary at 824-2497 or Lilian at 824-2269. Parents of the graduating class will soon be receiving a letter with all the details of our future plans. We appreciate your support.

Lillian Conant
Project Graduation Committee

POWER PLAY OR SCAM?

To the Editor:

This letter is more of a question than a comment. I need someone to explain the principle of conservation to me.

I recently got my electric bill from CMP and after choking for a moment I wrote a check and then I read the little propaganda sheet that accompanied the bill. That sheet is what confused me.

It seems, according to CMP, that they have a surplus of power and they would like me to use more of it in order to get a rate reduction. That could be confusing, but I know they have a guaranteed profit set up. They state, and I quote, "And there's

no danger of running out of energy." They state that CMP is forced to dump some of the surplus power onto the New England power grid at a rate "below our cost," to use their words. CMP estimates they have enough power until around 2008.

I begin to get confused when I remember the big push to put a power line through Maine from Canada, because of the future needs. If we didn't do this our rates were going up because of a shortage. Well, it seems my rates went up, yet there's a surplus. I'm told if I use 10 percent more power my rates can go down by 5 percent. This seems totally opposite to my impression of conservation. I thought if we created a surplus the price would stay the same or drop, but in fact CMP recently got a rate increase.

They say they are selling surplus power below cost out of state, but if we increase usage our rates that were just increased can go down by 5 percent. For some reason, I feel as though I'm being set up for some future unexpected reason for a price hike and that I've already been misinformed by the power company as to the need for energy conservation. So would someone please explain to me how leaving on more lights, using more appliances and in general over-consuming electricity can be good and reduce my power bill?

While we're at it, I'd like to know why our lawmakers can't do anything about a system that allows the power company to sell power out of

state below cost while not reducing the rate here?

CMP is trying to tell us we'll get something for nothing. If we use more power it'll cost less. Most of the time if a deal seems too good to be true, it is. They aren't actually saying our monthly bill will be less, but that our rate will be lower because we'll be using more power, so perhaps our bills will actually increase slightly.

But if our bills actually do go down and we use more power, the key may be in the future. The company states a bill will be introduced into the legislature soon called "An Act to Minimize Electric Rates." I suggest our representatives look very closely at this bill and tell us what it means before they vote.

Remember as you consider using more power, that the company recently got permission for a rate hike which we are feeling now.

The one thing I do know about using more power is that the state will benefit by getting more tax revenue. On your power bill near the bottom it states a six percent sales tax will be levied on all power used above 750 kwh. So who benefits if we use more power?

It would truly be refreshing to get all the information presented honestly by a corporation or a politician before we are asked to make a decision. I don't know what CMP's scam is here, but I'll bet there is one, and I hope our elected officials can sort it out and explain it.

Carroll Murphy
Sweden

Third bobcat wanders in from the woods

By WENDY HANSCOM

The saga continues of hungry bobcats coming out of the woods in search of food.

The latest chapter, however, ends on a sad note.

Wednesday Sandra Wheeler of Newry reported to game wardens that a bobcat had been found lying on a snowbank beside Wheeler Road in Newry.

Wheeler said the wildcat seemed lethargic and let people very close to it before it headed into some nearby brush.

"He'd walk three or four feet and then lie down," she said, "He just went into some low brush and sat there for quite a while."

Thursday morning, Warden Donald Gray of Newry tracked the cat to a nearby fair dug in the snow under a tree, Wheeler said, "but the cat wasn't there."

An hour later Wheeler and neighbor Audrey Brook of Newry went to the burrow, taking along some

food.

"We got out there and could just see his tail sticking out of the hole," Brooke said. "He didn't move, so we poked him a little with a stick. He still didn't move, so we put on some gloves and pulled him out. He was dead."

"He looked pathetic and exhausted the night before. When we picked him up the next day up you could feel every bone in his body. He looked really young, but he didn't weigh more than 10 lbs. It's sad."

This was at least the third bobcat sighted near a residential area within two weeks.

In West Bethel a bobcat spent four days living under neighborhood barns and garages, before it was captured on Feb. 23 and transported out of the area. The bobcat had earlier killed a house cat in the village.

Later that day, Frank and Clarice Gibson of Northwest Bethel

reported that another bobcat had attacked their house cat. The pet was injured, but is now recovering. Clarice said the bobcat hasn't been spotted for over a week.

Paul Fomier, spokesman for the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Department, said Oxford County seems to be the only area reporting dead or starving bobcats so far.

"I did some checking around part of the state," Fomier said, "and this seems to be only that area that has a problem."

"The deep snow and cold weather make it hard for the cats to find food," he said. "They come out and hang around bird feeders and pick off an occasional house cat—whatever they can get. Sometimes these are older cats that don't hunt as well as they used to."

Fomier said Warden Gayland Brackett has also responded to bobcat complaints in Lovell and Rumford Point.

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purchased their stock when the bank went public in 1987—have expressed reservations about the proposed deal.

The objections center on allowing one individual to acquire control (even if only technically) over the bank, as well as on the price of the stock offered to Square Lake and the fact that the stock was not offered to other shareholders.

None of the local shareholders, however, were willing to speak on the record about their objections—although they claimed to have voted against the deal at the annual meeting.

Delamater defended the price (\$14 per share) of the proposed issuance as "a very good deal for the bank." And he argued that offering the stock to other shareholders would involve a formal stock offering, "and would

cost us a fortune in legal fees and underwriting costs."

The transaction is still awaiting regulatory approval. Only after that is received will Bancorp management determine if and when to go ahead with the sale, Delamater said.

The Maine Bureau of Banking will accept written comments on Square Lake's application until March 29. The address of the bureau is: State House Station 36, Augusta, ME 04333.

EXERCISE

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Radios

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downs, accidents or information concerning changes in student pickup and drop-off locations.

Superintendent Dewaine Craig told the board the new radio system will be included in the proposed FY '94 as a lease/purchase plan. The district would play an estimated \$11,775 a year for four years for the system.

MEA scores mistallied

Telstar Middle School Principal Bruce Bell told the school board that the district's recent eighth-grade Maine Education Assessment tests results are inaccurate.

Bell said the state failed to include the results of 10 special needs students who took the test.

The state will reissue the test results, which should be back within a few weeks, Bell said.

THIS WEEK AT THE

Moses Mason House

Dr. Joseph DeMarco of the Bethel Chiropractic Health Center on Main Street was the featured speaker at the March meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House Thursday evening. Dr. DeMarco, a Boston native, holds a B.S. in exercise physiology from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst and his D.C. from Palmer College in Davenport, Iowa. He described the history of chiropractic health care beginning with the eccentric Daniel David Palmer (1845 - 1913), the discover of chiropractic, which focuses on spinal disorders as the cause for back pain and discomfort and/or numbness in extremities. His son Bartlett Joshua Palmer (1881 - 1961) developed his father's theories and founded Palmer College. Through the years chiropractic (meaning done with the hands) has grown in prestige and acceptance by health professionals.

Prior to introducing Dr. DeMarco, Society Director Stanley R. Howe provided information on Bethel's chiropractors. As far as can be determined, the first chiropractor in Bethel was Dr. Rowena Goodwin, who in 1922 was practicing at the Maple Inn (now the Sudbury); later her practice was moved to Mechanic Street. In 1924 Hazel Joy Arno was carrying on a chiropractic practice at the Harry Jordan residence on Main Street. By 1926 Howard E. Tyler was advertising his chiropractic practice based on Chapman Street; later he moved to Church Street. He continued to advertise in the Bethel Citizen until 1942. In 1935, Dr. W. L. Cutler of Portland was advertising as a registered chiropractor and physio-therapist. Patients were seen at the home of Elizabeth Griffin on Main Street (now Mother's Restaurant). No chiropractors were practicing in Bethel for more than 30 years until Dr. Steve Garbarini arrived in Bethel in 1976 and practiced at his Paradise residence until 1978 at which time he moved to Rumford. In 1991 Dr. David Smith established the Bethel Chiropractic Health Center on Main Street. He was succeeded by the present chiropractor, Dr. Joseph DeMarco in 1992. Society Director Howe closed his remarks by requesting further information on Bethel's chiropractors. Anyone having such information was invited to contact the Society at (207) 824-2908 or write P. O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

During the business portion of the meeting, President Jane Hosterman thanked all those who made Heritage Day a success. She also announced that the next meeting would be held on April 1 and feature a presentation by Dr. Lowell E. Barnes of Hiram, titled "Some Sunday River Stories." President Hosterman also brought to the attention of those present that the Maine Historical Society would be holding a special symposium on life in the 18th century on March 20. Professor James Leamon of Bates College will be mailing the keynote address and the publication of his new book "Revolution Downeast: The War For American Independence in Maine" will be celebrated. Other scholars participating are Steven C. Eames of St. Anselms College, Bruce Bourque of the Maine State Museum, Emerson H. Baker II of the Dyer Library/York Institute Museum, Earle G. Shettleworth, Jr. of the Maine Historic Preservation Commission and Laura F. Sprague of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art. Admission is free and those interested in attending were urged to register. Flyers describing the event are available at the Dr. Moses Mason House.

Following the program Special Projects Committee chair Persis Post announced the refreshments for the evening in honor of the month of March. In honor of St. David's Day welch cheesecake was served; for St. Patrick's Day, Irish soda bread and roasted potatoes and dip were featured as well.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Through a grant from the Bingham Betterment Fund, the Bethel Library was able to undertake an extensive renovation of the building. Eric Hastings represented the University of New

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gets. Those services might include three meals a day or 24-hour on-site medical staff.

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The committee would like to hear from anyone interested in its work or residing at an assisted living center, Bass said.

The Community Retirement Living Committee meets the first Friday of the month at the Bethel Area Health Center. The meeting is open to the public.

AT THE es Mason house

DeMarco of the Bethel Health Center on Main the featured speaker at meeting of the Bethel Society held in the meet- f the Dr. Moses Mason nursday evening. Dr. a Boston native, holds a cise physiology from the of Massachusetts, Am- s D.C. from Palmer Col- venport, Iowa. He de- history of chiropractic beginning with the eccl- David Palmer (1845- discover of chiropractic, ases on spinal disorders as for back pain and dis- or numbness in extrem- Bartlett Joshua Palmer 1) developed his father's d founded Palmer Col- gh the years chiropractic one with the hands) has vestige and acceptance by sionals.

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Air Force signs off on ANG's compromise overflight plan Fewer low-level local flights are likely

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Department of the Air Force has formally approved a compromise plan for expanding Air National Guard (ANG) training flights over northern New England.

Locally, the plan is likely to mean fewer, rather than more, low-level military overflights.

In July of 1991 the ANG proposed a major revamping of its training routes and areas in much of the Northeast. The changes were necessary, the ANG claimed, in order to accommodate the training needs of new squadrons of F-16s based in southern New England.

The proposal called for lowering the minimum altitude, or "floor" at which the planes could operate, and for significantly increasing the number of training missions.

The plan, however, immediately drew fire from area residents concerned about the aesthetic, environmental and economic impact of the flights.

Others, especially those who live under existing low-level routes, complained of the ANG's alleged lack of enforcement of its existing regulations.

The plan was also attacked by the Maine's Congressional delegation.

Following a series of public hearing, the ANG in October of last year offered a compromise plan that cut back severely on both the projected number of flights and raised the altitude at which most of

the flights would be flown.

The compromise--which was applauded by the congressional delegation--calls the floor in the Condor Military Operations Area (MOA), which overlies much of western Maine, to be lowered 300 feet, but only 33 percent of "typical missions" would be flown below 2,000 feet, and only "a very small percentage" would take place below 1,000 feet.

The number of annual flights in the 200-square-mile MOA would be limited to just over 2,000, and low altitude missions would be minimized from June 15 to Labor Day. During the fall foliage season, flights would be kept above 2,000 feet.

The compromise plan also calls for eliminating a number of 10-mile-wide trunk routes, in which military planes were allowed to operate down to tree-top level.

One of those routes, VFR-840-841-842, passes over Locke Mills village, East Bethel and the Ellis River Valley and accounts for much of the low level military activity in this area.

A number of other restrictions also apply to the flights, and the ANG has agreed to maintain a toll-free telephone number to give residents a mean to ask questions and lodge complaints about the flights, as well as to report violations of the new rules. The toll-free number is 1-800-241-3005.

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Hampshire at the NCAA Ski Championships in Bozeman, Mont. Birth: Alex Johnson, Marriage: Roberta Gilbert and Dr. Wenceslao Perez. Deaths: Elsie Ames, Katherine Wight.

20 years ago: Bradley Barker was elected for the two-year vacancy on the Bethel Board of Selectmen; Samuel H. Timberlake was elected unopposed to the three-year term. Donald and Virginia Walker were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary at a party at the home of Richard and Diane Walker.

Evergreen Valley was officially opened. Ann Marie Rolfe and Glenn

Carver were crowned Queen and King respectively at Telstar Regional High School's Winter Carnival. Births: Alisha James, Walter Smith, Octavia Poole, Sunshine Sessions.

30 years ago: Kathy Kittridge was a semi-finalist on Channel 6's Youth Cavalcade. Richard Davis and Norman Greig were elected as Bethel Selectmen; Eugene Buswell and Harold Rolfe were selected as Assessors. Second Lt. Nelson Durgin graduated from the U.S. Air Force instructor training course at Sheppard Air Force Base in Texas. Death: Clyde Riley.

40 years ago: James Browne purchased the former E. E. Whitney home on Railroad Street (now the site of the Bethel Health Center). Leon and Ruth Wilson sold Bear River Tea Room and Cabins and moved to Mayville. It was voted to extend the hydrant service so the last house in Corporation territory could be reached on Vernon Street. Deaths: Clarence Annis, Fred Goodnow, Edward Brown.

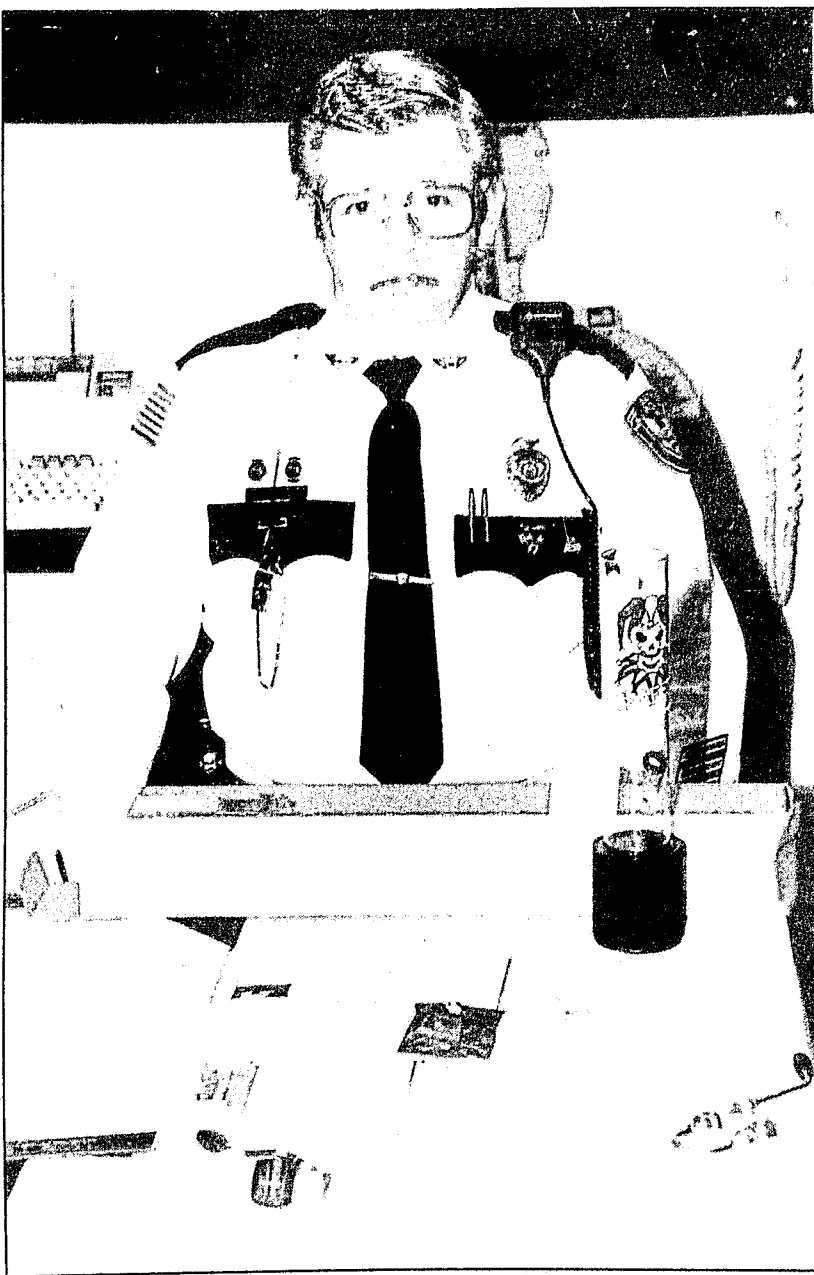
50 years ago: Bethel's quota for Red Cross National drive was upped to \$1,460. Freeman Merrill's home in East Bethel was destroyed by fire. Marriages: Dorothy Vivian and Arthur Bennett; Ina Ellingwood and Rupert Grover. Deaths: Alfred Hobbs, Leona Anderson.

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PARAPHERNALIA--Bethel Chief of Police Dale Bellman summoned two 19-year-old men last week for possession of a usable amount of marijuana and/or possession of drug paraphernalia. The assorted drug works included a "water bong," two pipes, screens, rolling papers and a small set of scales. Bellman said he is not releasing the men's names, because he hopes the case will result in more drug-related charges. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

West Paris youth stabbed at home by two intruders

By JOHN VINCENT

A 16-year-old West Paris boy was accosted in his front door Wednesday night by two unidentified men who cut him with a knife and ran off. Capt. James Miclon of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department said Thursday.

The boy heard his dog barking a lot at about 7:30 p.m. and went to the front door of the house on Stearns Hill Road to see what the dog was barking at, Miclon said. Upon opening the door, he saw two males with their faces concealed right outside the door. The men entered the house and there was a fight and the boy received a slight scrape wound on his upper arm from a knife one of the men had, Miclon noted.

"They were in the house no more than two minutes. There was nothing said, nothing taken. The two men fled on foot," Miclon said.

The boy was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital where he was treated and released, Miclon said.

"We are looking for anyone who may have been on Stearns Hill Road from 6 to 8 p.m. If they saw anything they should contact us," Miclon added.

A similar incident occurred Feb. 14 in Greenwood when Douglas D. Garthe, 30, was attacked between 7 and 8 p.m. by two masked men with guns and a knife, state police reported at the time. The two suspects knocked on the door and when Garthe opened it they struck him with their fists and inflicted superficial lacerations to his chest, according to Trooper Don Shead. Police searched the area on Hayes Hill Road but did not find the two males.

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From the Bethel Police log:

Boozing tip leads to drug bust; Buick burns on Chandler Hill

Wednesday night a Bethel Park Apartments resident reported juveniles drinking alcohol in an apartment at the complex. Police asked for a description of any vehicles at the apartment and headed for the scene. On the way to the complex, police pulled over a vehicle on Broad that matched the description of one of the vehicles.

Bethel Chief of Police Dale Bellman summoned two 19-year-olds, one of Bethel and the other of Locke Mills, for possession of marijuana and/or drug paraphernalia including a "water bong," two pipes, rolling papers, screens and a small set of scales. Bellman said the case is still under investigation and his not releasing the men's names. Police said no juveniles were consuming alcohol as the caller had reported.

Early Sunday morning, Mary Ellen Chapman of Chandler Hill reported that her vehicle was on fire. When police arrived at Chandler Hill the vehicle was fully engulfed in flames. The Bethel Fire Department also responded to the scene. Fire completely destroyed the vehicle, which police left on the road overnight to cool off before being towed, the report stated.

In other police news last week, Thursday, the Rumford Police Department asked Bethel Police to arrest Scott Morrison, 19, of Rumford for gross sexual contact. Police arrested Morrison at the Sunday River Brewing Company and transported him to the Oxford County Jail.

Friday night, an employee at The Sud's Pub reported a fight in the parking lot. The fight broke up before police arrived.

Later Friday night, police arrested Cheryl L. Redman, 31, of Bethel for criminal trespass. Police reported she refused to leave Gregory S. Mills of Bethel's apartment.

Shortly after 1 a.m. Sunday morning a Big Apple employee reported she had refused to sell someone beer after the 1 a.m. deadline. The clerk reported the man put some money on the counter and took a six-pack of beer with him. Police say they later summonsed Louie R. Berube, 31, of Tewksbury, Mass. for the theft.

Public Notice

The United States Air Force has issued the Record of Decision on the proposed aircraft conversions at Bradley ANGB (CT) and Barnes ANGB (MA), and the special use airspace in ME, NY, NJ, PA, NH, and VT.

The Record of Decision can be reviewed in its entirety at public libraries in the following Maine communities:

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By MARTA CLEMENTS

New students being welcomed this week are Eric Mahaney in grade six, Amy Mahaney, grade five, and Shannon Mahaney, grade four. They are joining right in with our regular activities. However, Shannon arrived just a little too late and missed out on an exciting field trip to Portland. All the fourth-graders in the district attended a symphony at Portland City Hall entitled "Pictures at an Exhibition." The trip turned out to be quite exciting when one of the buses broke down. The children had to be split up onto other buses. Another bus arrived in time to bring them all home together, so all ended happily.

Three fifth-graders from our school found themselves winners in a recent poster contest sponsored by the Western Maine Community Partnership. This is a branch of a larger group working with drug and alcohol abuse prevention, and is an offshoot of our DARE program. Jessica Farrar, Melissa Martin and Heather Theofrastou were presented letters telling them of their awards by Ms. Connie Brown. The girls are invited to a ceremony Friday night to be presented their prizes. Congratulations to all three.

Basketball for both boys and girls has been in full swing for some time, and the third annual Bobcat Basketball Classic tournament will take place on Mar. 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, and 12. Children from grades two to six have participated.

On Wednesday, Mar. 10, the SAD 17 Elementary Music Festival will be presented at the Agnes Gray

School gym. The elementary band, orchestra and district choruses will perform. The time will be 7 p.m. Join us for an evening of music.

The parents of fifth-grade students will be selling refreshments at the West Paris town meeting. The menu will be sandwiches, coffee, soda and candy bars. If this is successful, a trend may be in the making. Of course the profits will be used towards our upcoming trip to Boston.

The second-graders are working on a musical play entitled "Best Friends." I will have to find out more information and will keep you posted. They will also be writing pen pal letters to a class in Oxford. The kindergarten class celebrated the 100th day of school by bringing in all sorts of collections of 100s. The first-graders are reading stories about the March wind and are making booklets about the family for social studies. The third-graders are learning to write in cursive, and are involved in a project that requires coffee cans. Mr. Burke is sending out a request for empty coffee cans. The sixth-graders have finished up their unit on Oceanography and have been working on a writing that could come from a real-life experience, called True Life.

It is time to redeem our Campbell Soup labels, and for me to publicly thank Mrs. Peggy Theofrastou for collecting, counting, sorting and bundling them up for us. We are planning to get more computer programs with our labels. Please continue to save labels for us, as no doubt we will continue to participate in the Labels for Education Program.

CAREER AWARENESS DAY

On March 10, the Northern Oxford School Counselors and the Bethel Rotary Club will jointly sponsor a Career Awareness Day for area freshmen.

The conference will be held at Telstar High School from 9 to 11 a.m., with over 25 presenters participating.

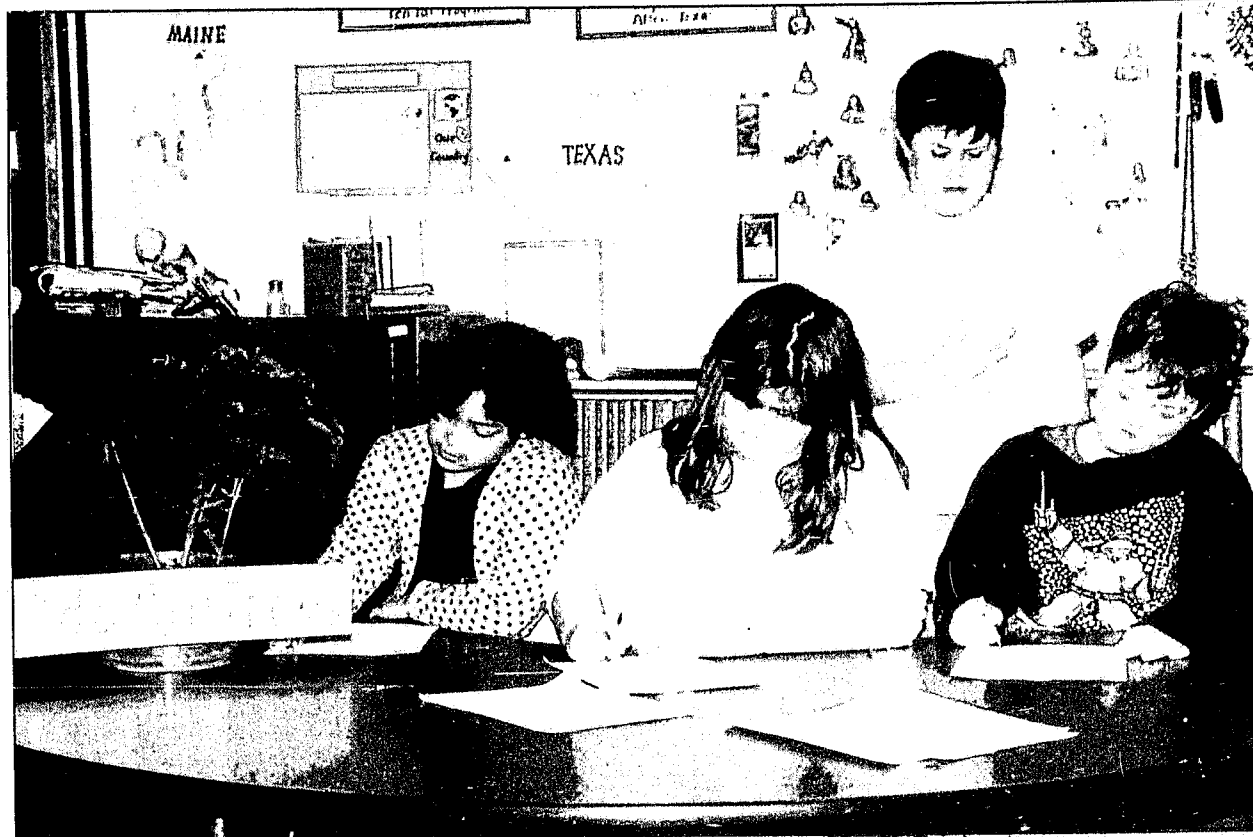
Career cluster topics will be agriculture, public service, hospitality and recreation, marine science, transportation, business and office, natural resources and environment, manufacturing, personal services, health, consumer education and home economics, communication and media, marketing and distribution, construction, fine arts and humanities.

The students will be from Telstar, Mountain Valley, Dirigo and Buckfield high schools, and career presenters will be from a 50-mile

radius of Bethel. Area school counselors will contact other Rotary Clubs for potential presenters after Rotary members either participate as presenters or recruit other speakers.

Each presenter has been asked to relate his or her occupational information in a visual hands-on way if at all possible. Each freshman will have the opportunity to learn about four occupations. There will be four general sessions, and each presenter may expect a maximum of twelve students per session. Presenters will offer a 20-minute presentation followed by five to ten minutes of discussion.

Parents of participating students are welcome to contact their respective high school guidance offices before March 10 regarding the program: Telstar, 824-2138; Buckfield, 336-2151; Dirigo, 562-4251; Mt. Valley, 364-4547.



KIDS FOR TREES TIME AGAIN—Crescent Park School third-graders LaStassia Hebert, left, Caeri Meader, Matthew Newell and Jay Hanscom were busy writing letters to local businesses and organizations last week requesting money for the district's Kids for Trees Program. Several fundraisers this spring will help purchase seedlings to plant on the Kids for Trees lot near P.H. Chadbourne Co. in Bethel.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

NOVA OFFERS AIR BRAKE ADJUSTMENT COURSE

The Northern Oxford Vocational Area program will offer a course in air-brake adjustment.

The course is designed to meet the requirements of the new rule (49 CFR 392.25) which requires motor carrier employees responsible for inspection, maintenance and repair of commercial motor vehicle brakes be "qualified." This course will look at the basic air brake system. Time will be spent in class and lab with emphasis on hands-on parts identification and air brake adjustments.

The course will be held Mar. 13 from 8 a.m. to noon at the NOVA Office, 32 Parker St., Mexico, ME 04257.

TEACHERS' SCHOLARSHIPS

The Maine Retired Teachers Association will this year award \$500 scholarships to adults.

These scholarships will be given

to individuals who are undertaking further education, either to return to teaching or to teach for the first time.

The letter of application should include relevant biographical and personal information, previous educational experience (including transcript from last school attended), institution where study is being undertaken, and names of three people who might furnish references.

Required information should be sent in one envelope to Sylvia Smith, 39 Cortland Circle, Bangor, ME 04401, to arrive no later than April 15.

The MRTA will also award scholarships to high school seniors who plan to teach in Maine. The applicants must be graduating from a high school or academy in the upper quarter of his/her class. Each school principal or guidance office will have the exact information required and the necessary application form.

Dean's list

Univ. of Maine at Farmington: Susan Vinciere of Bethel, who is majoring in rehabilitation services.

Univ. of New England:

Alison Davis, daughter of Theodore and Linda Davis of Bethel, who is majoring in occupational therapy. She has also been named to the 1993 edition of "Who's Who among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

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CPS-PTA NEWS

There will be a PTA meeting on Thursday, March 11 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. The business meeting will be held from 6:30 to 7, followed by a brief recess. At 7:15, in recognition of Drug Awareness Week, Rodney Abbott of CCAT (Community Chemical Awareness Team) will speak. Also Chris Olson will talk about Physical Fitness 2000. There will also be a chance to meet with our new Superintendent of Schools, Ron Jenkins. All are welcome and babysitting will be provided.

On Thursday, March 18 there will be a PTA sponsored mini-conference at CPS from 7 to 8 p.m. The topic will be "The Effects of Television on Children" presented by Norma Salway and Marcie Tupper.

The Maine State PTA Convention will be held on April 2 and 3 in Portland. Anyone who would like to attend and is interested in PTA or in becoming a CPS-PTA officer in the future, is asked to call Marilyn Swan at 824-2029 or Gail Sysko at 824-3486 for details.

The next movie presentation is scheduled for April 17 and 18. It will be the movie "Honey, I Blew up the Kids." This final movie of the year, as a thank you to members, will be free to PTA members and their families.

Finally, be on the lookout for more information on "Mayfair," to be held on Saturday, May 22 at CPS from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

school lunch menu

WEEK OF MARCH 15

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Wednesday: Fruit turnover.
Thursday: Cereal, juice.
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Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, whipped potato, steamed broccoli, dinner roll and butter, chilled fruit.
Wednesday: Chili, vegetable, wheat roll, fruit, holiday cookie.
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There is a 50% tax on amounts not taken out of your IRA when required. Distributions are required the year you reach 70 1/2. You have until April 1st of the following year to make the first actual withdrawal, but if you opt to postpone your first withdrawal until then, you must take two annual withdrawals in that second year (the distribution for the year you reached 70 1/2, plus the second year's required distribution.)
Your required distributions are based on the amount in your IRA and the life expectancy of you and your beneficiary. The Internal Revenue Service provides life expectancy tables. If you have more than one IRA the computation must be made for each IRA, but the total distribution may be taken from one account.
A 10% penalty tax is assessed if you take a distribution from your IRA before you're 59 1/2 years old. An exception exists for death or disability. Another limited exception applies to a certain series of substantially equal payments taken over your life expectancy and that of your beneficiary.
In addition to penalties for early withdrawals and late withdrawals, there is also a 15% penalty for excessive withdrawals. In determining excessive withdrawals, all retirement plan distributions received during the year are combined. The 15% penalty generally applies to the extent the total exceeds \$150,000. Different rules apply if the distributions include lump-sum retirement plan payments.
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New Head

West Bethel Community Center/Community Center opened an additional classroom earlier this week, bringing a total of eight in Oxford County. The Norway Children's Center will allow 14 additional and their families to Head Start, a complete school program.

And, if President Clinton opens other Head rooms in Oxford County, Head Start, President Clinton as and he has proposed increases for the program is a federal and state program that provides families with preschool, nutrition, health and safety.

If Head Start continues, Community Concept plan includes additional classrooms and homes. According to Laurent, director of the Center at Community are over 36 low-income schoolers eligible for the Bethel area, but the West Bethel Center provides Head to 17 area families a week.

Laurent said Head only federal program recently helps low school children get

Bryant

By ALICE

The Historical Society are many lectures and opportunities offered state for historical societies this year. Many are a meetings. Next meeting Saturday, Mar. 13 at Mills will show her que toys. Franklin Grange Monday, Mar. 15. The be on Legislative and The Woodstock meet on Wednesday Town Annex. The meeting at 1 p.m. The program Simplifying. Co-bolhydrates with Woodstock. The Woodstock Festival stew supper meeting on Wednesday. Jo Ann, David, Crockett were Sunday.

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New Head Start classroom open

West Bethel Children's Center/Community Concepts has opened an additional Head Start classroom earlier this February, bringing a total of eight classrooms in Oxford County. The classroom at the Norway Children's Center will allow 14 additional preschoolers and their families to participate in Head Start, a comprehensive preschool program.

And, if President Clinton has his way, Community Concepts will be opening other Head Start classrooms in Oxford County in the near future. Head Start is heralded by President Clinton as a success story and he has proposed major increases for the program. Head Start is a federal and state-funded program that provides lower income families with preschool education, nutrition, health and social services.

If Head Start continues to expand, Community Concepts' long-range plan includes additional Head Start classrooms and home-based Head Start. According to Deborah Laurent, director of Children's Services at Community Concepts, there are over 36 low-income preschoolers eligible for Head Start in the Bethel area, but not able to attend. The West Bethel Children's Center provides Head Start services to 17 area families and 143 county-wide.

Laurent said Head Start is the only federal program that simultaneously helps low-income preschool children get ready for

school, stay healthy by providing immunizations and regular health check-ups and treatment, and receive nutritious meals. It also helps their parents become active participants in their children's learning as well as work towards family self-sufficiency. It is unique in that it is community-based and has the flexibility to meet a wide range of child and family needs.

Head Start has a significant effect on children's school performance, according to Laurent. Children enrolled in Head Start have significant immediate gains in cognitive test scores, socioemotional test scores, and health status. Studies have also found that Head Start children are more likely to be promoted to the next grade and are less likely to be assigned to special education classes.

Community Concepts has operated Head Start since the program's inception in 1965. A nonprofit community action agency with an all-volunteer Board of Directors, Community Concepts provides day care services, housing services, transportation and social services in addition to Head Start.

"For 27 years Community Concepts has had to turn families away who wanted Head Start for their children," said Laurent.

Head Start is recruiting for the Sept. 1993 school year. Call the West Bethel Children's Center at 836-3700 for an application.



SCOUT BANQUET—Cub Scout Pack 133 recently held its Blue and Gold Banquet at the Woodstock Elementary School. Participating in the cake decorating project were, front row: Alan Brown, left, Joe Cox, Paul Cox, Jr., and Orin Hayes. Back row: Owen Brown, Paul Cox and Tina Hayes.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

In my childhood the postman seemed to be the most entirely enviable and likable creature on earth. Even today and over the years we fully appreciate the meaning of the R.F.D. box on the country road several miles from the village. No one who lives in the cities, where the uniformed man trudges up to the door and deposits the mail can fully appreciate the meaning of the R.F.D. box or the carrier.

Some day a historian will write a chronicle of country living in terms of R.F.D. boxes, like exclamation points, are found all along hundreds of miles of roads.

This postman brings bad news, good news, and indifferent news, but we remember him only by the good he does. Like a sundial he records only the sunny hours. He is the hope that springs eternal in the human breast. He comes probably with a handful of bills and other things you would be pleased to do without. But that never affects your faith in him.

There are some R.F.D. boxes that will hold a half bushel of papers, magazines and mail-order catalogues. These boxes sit on posts and many display the name of the owner and the number of the box. Some vary in shape but the real genuine honest-to-goodness R.F.D. box is the humble everyday sort of affair. It is regular with a curved top to shed rain and sleet. It has a metal flag that is put up to tell the mailman a letter is waiting for him. Through such boxes have passed

some of the heartbeats of the nation. Those far from home write letters to family; so this R.F.D. box sitting beside the country road is a link in the chain that binds a nation into one people.

Our mailman is truly our friend and no day is complete without him. On Wednesday Dorothy Betts and I had a fun day with retired teachers Louvie Coffin, Dorothy Rose, Lettie Brooks and Doris Slattery. We had lunch in Norway and spent the afternoon with Louvie.

Today, the end of February, Robert Holt and daughter of Windsor, David and Ann Holt had dinner with Fay and Leonas Holt. Mary was ill, so she and her mother, Sally, could not be with us.

This week the men have been busy with shoveling snow from roofs, a lot to shovel, too.

Friday evening I had dinner with Milton and Eleanor Inman in So. Paris. I enjoyed it.

My cactus plants are in bloom; an orange, a red, a pink and a white one. They are especially welcome with all the snow outside.

It's interesting to see John Betts go to town, sitting beside him in the front seat is his dog and in the back sit two others. Such a picture is seldom seen. They ride like kings on a throne.

Andover

By KAREN MCKAY

Tickets for the Snow Valley Sno Goers' corned beef with cabbage dinner and ride-in are available at local stores. Tickets for the March 13, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., dinner are available in advance only.

Parents of prospective kindergarten students for the 1993-94 school year (age 5 on or before Oct. 15, 1993) should contact the Andover school at 392-4381 to receive the initial registration form for enrollment.

Skiers take note--the next SAD 44 Community Ski Free Day at Sunday River Ski Area will be on Friday, March 19.

Rob and Jen Dixon have moved back to Maine from San Diego, Calif. They are both employed by Swift Shore Communications, an East Coast based company. Rob is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dixon.

Charlie Thurston of Brandon, Vt. was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Swan. Charlie rode his snow machine round trip from Brandon to Andover.

Sympathy is extended to the Jodrey family for the death of Alice, a lifelong resident of the community.

this past week--as the car came up Hudson Hill last Thursday evening with the brake lights on and just below Clayton Crockett's the whole system, lights and all, quit. It is not a pleasant sensation to be on a busy main highway with no lights and no power. John managed to bring the car to the side of the road and got it stopped. I walked back to Clayton's where they kindly let me use the phone and a bit later the car was at Gaudreau's and Crystal Lake had come and taken us home. Debbie and Owen Brown kindly loaned us their truck so we could get to church and to the annual church meeting on Sunday, and Crystal took me to the Women's Ministries meeting Sunday evening. On Monday we took the truck to Norway where both John and I had appointments at Stephens Memorial Hospital early in the morning and then we came home and went back at 11 a.m. for another appointment not wanting to spend two hours in Norway waiting.

By five o'clock the starter which had blown on our car had been rebuilt, so we went and got that. All in all it was a rather hectic several days.

Donna Downs came Tuesday afternoon and picked up Lorraine Mills and we went to see her mother, Elvira Littlehale, who is failing rapidly at the Market Square Health Facility. Donna had to get right back to Pembroke, N.H., because her husband Ted is out of the hospital and is recuperating at home from his cancer surgery. He is doing very well, by the way, which is good news indeed.

Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

An open house for former residents Mary and Maynard Hazelton of Calif. and Joy Fuller Harding of Colo. will be held at the Town Hall at Locke Mills on Sunday, Mar. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. Friends are invited to attend.

The Greenwood Town meeting will be held at the Town Hall on Saturday, Mar. 13, beginning at 10 a.m. The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary will serve dinner at noon.

Ralph Mills came Thursday and spent the night with his parents John and Lorraine Mills. He needed to get the roofs shoveled at his camp and wanted to beat the storm coming in on Friday.

The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary met the last Monday in February with Denise Swan, Mary Stone, Lorraine Mills, Sally Melville, Barbara Dunham and Cheryl Young present. Solicitation lists were revised and the town meeting dinner planned.

We had a rather hectic few days

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Chris Downes from New Hampshire was in town one day last week shampooing rugs for prospective customers and demonstrating the Kirby Cleaner. It is amazing what that machine will do.

Grace Nelson is home from the hospital and Carolyn Heino took her to her doctor's on Thursday for a check-up.

Violet Doughty is at the Market Square Nursing Home in South Paris. She was a former resident of East Stoneham.

Minehaha Temple 53 met on Feb. 19 with nine members present. All

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Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

The Historical Society notes there are many lectures and educational opportunities offered around the state for historical society members this year. Many are announced at the meetings. Next meeting will be on Saturday, Mar. 13 at 7 p.m. Irene Mills will show her dolls and antique toys.

Franklin Grange will meet on Monday, Mar. 15. The program will be on Legislative and Agriculture.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Mar. 17 at the Town Annex. The meeting will start at 1 p.m. The program will be on Simplifying Complex Carbohydrates with Wendy Legg Pollock.

The Woodstock Firemen held an oyster stew supper before their meeting on Wednesday.

Jo Ann, David, Ray, and Shawn Crockett were Sunday dinner guests

of her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt and Beatrice Farnum.

Leatrice Chase called on her mother, Beatrice Farnum, one day last week.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have been grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jordan, Stratham, N.H., and Debbie Millett, Oxford and children, Harriett Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan.

The Historical Society finds out many interesting things about the past. It also has some fascinating antique exhibits and a lot of research material.

Elderwood Manor

By FLORENCE HALL

Gertrude Hutchins and Anne Fox went on the bus to Rumford on Wednesday.

Louise Powell, Hale, and Bernice Wing, Dixfield, visited Alma Hwy on Thursday.

Elizabeth Sennett and daughter Charlotte Hayes called on Gertrude Hutchins, Anne Fox and Norman and Julie White while in town recently.

Stacy Thompson, Rumford, took Aunt Florence Hall to Rumford for a doctor's appointment on Tuesday.

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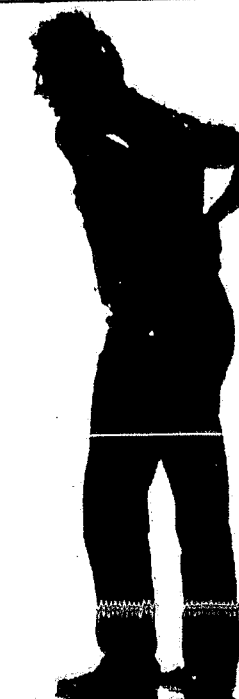
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Greenwood

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on the easterly side of Twitchell Pond. Morey has offered \$15,000 for the land, which abuts another parcel of his and which both he and the town have claimed for a number of years.

Constance Roberge is also asking voters to allow her to buy back a piece of property which was acquired by the town for back taxes.

Roberge has agreed to pay the town's legal fees of \$1,624 and all back taxes, interest and cost on the property. A garage, which Bartlett said was illegally constructed on the property, will also be removed. Roberge also agrees to dismiss a lawsuit against the town.

Voters passed a similar article

estimated cost of \$2,000 per year and the reconstruction and paving of 1.4 miles of road in the village at a cost of \$150,000. Sawyers has also requested six stop or yield signs at an estimated cost of \$300 and 12 speed limit signs at \$600.

Last year voters turned down Sawyer's request for seven streetlights after he asked that the article be defeated. He said village residents had decided to withdraw the request after the selectmen recommended that only three streetlights should be installed.

Property decisions

Voters will also be asked to allow the selectmen to quit claim to Bruce A. Morey less than an acre of land

the fund balance to offset tax increases.

Townpeople will also vote on whether or not to move Town Meeting from the second Saturday of the month to the last Saturday of the month.

Bartlett said moving Town Meeting the last Saturday of the month will give selectmen more time to prepare the municipal budget.

Ski village lights, paving

Heywood Sawyer of Mt. Abram Village is once again asking voters to approve streetlights in the village.

Last year Sawyer asked for seven new streetlights. This year he is asking for ten street lights at an

regarding the Roberge property at last year's Town Meeting, Bartlett said, but the necessary taxes, fines and fees were not paid by the required deadline.

Elections

Voters will also elect a tax collector, town clerk, treasurer and registrar of voters, a selectman and SAD 44 school board director to a three-year term and a road commissioner.

Incumbents Phyllis Coolidge, Marie Bartlett, Raymond Harrington and Alan Seames, respectively, are all planning to seek reelection. Other possible candidates may be nominated from the floor.

Andover

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the selectmen were going to be covered by liability insurance. He said that he read newspaper accounts that the selectmen didn't have any liability insurance, and he wanted to know if that was going to be corrected.

Mills said the selectmen hadn't received any insurance quotes yet and so they couldn't have an article ready for the town meeting. Legault said that there probably is enough money in the account to cover a new liability insurance package.

On the appeals ordinance, planning board chairman Mark Burlamachi said that the town's appeals board wasn't backed up by an ordinance making it "illegal" in the eyes of the state. Burlamachi said he talked with Maine Municipal Association consultants to confirm the fact an ordinance was needed and that the planning board worked with the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments to write the ordinance. Burlamachi said that it was a standard ordinance used in many towns in the state.

The appeals board ordinance was amended to make it a requirement to tape record as well as take minutes of the meetings. In a

related article, the voters authorized the selectmen to set the compensation of the appeals board members without any specified amount. Burlamachi recommended \$15 a meeting, the same amount paid to planning board members. Selectman chairman Brian Mills said that the selectmen would approve an appropriate compensation for the appeals board.

On the recommendation of the voters, the article containing the budget for the appeals board had been postponed until the ordinance itself was approved. Legault brought up the budget at this point. Burlamachi said that a \$1,000 budget would be better for the appeals board since that board "would have at least three meetings per problem," and training sessions would cost about \$20 each per session.

Noting that the budget committee recommended just \$200 for the appeal board, Budget Committee member Ed Witt said the appeals board would have fees as part of their budget, too.

Witt said \$600 "would go a long ways" for the Budget Committee,

noting there were only two potential appeals in five years. Schachter made a motion to give the appeals board a \$1,000 budget, but that motion had little support.

Fred Emerson's motion for a \$600 budget was passed by a large majority. One citizen raised a point of order at this point asking how the same article could be voted on twice, and town clerk Phyllis Spaulding agreed with Schachter that the motion was presented as an amendment. Legault allowed the vote on the \$600 budget as an amendment to the main motion.

According to several voters at the meeting, the fire department budget always meets some opposition at town meeting time. Although the fire department had requested \$26,500 under their budget account, fire chief Ken Dixon seconded the motion to approve the \$21,500 recommended by the selectmen and budget committee.

While the fire department had initial success in the \$6,800 requested for the Laradal Defibrillator for the Andover Fire and Rescue Department and the \$1,040 for the Hepatitis-B vaccinations for

Emergency Medical Technicians, two other requests totaling \$5,200 were denied by the voters.

The voters went against the selectmen and budget committee recommendation of \$2,800 for a starter set of rescue air bags which can lift cars involved in accidents. In the only counted vote, the rescue air bags lost by 25 for, to 27 against. The \$2,400 request for improving four breathing apparatuses was denied by twice as many who voted for it. Voters seem to agree with Dick Merrill that the 10 existing units were adequate to fight fires. Dixon said that more breathing units were needed in case there was a large fire in the town.

Merrill said that the fire department's budget and requests in other articles were too much for a town the size of Andover. He said that he knows the saying that one life saved is worth the money spent, but he doubted that many towns the size of Andover spend the same amount of money on the fire department.

The selectmen were given permission to propose a mandatory recycling program when the state makes the town close the town dump.

Elections

Voters also reelected Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collection Dian Stinson and Selectman Howard Gurney.

Townpeople also elected Joe Makley as a SAD 17 school director for three years and Rick Bradeen as Water District director. Agnes Gray School teacher Terri Merrill served as moderator.

North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

Tuesday, Mar. 2, 12 West Paris Senior Citizens went to the Bulling Steak House for luncheon.

Tuesday, Mar. 2, Charlotte brought me a loaf of homemade bread. It was delicious. She had been to Norway Nursing Home playing and singing to the elderly, especially to Verna Swan. She visited quite a spell and I really enjoyed her and the bread.

Thursday, Mar. 4, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Mass. to bring his sister Fannie Whitten for a few weeks' visit.

Thursday, Mar. 4, Laura Heikkinen brought me a big saute dish of bread pudding. It was delicious. She visited a while. She is working at Whitman's Market at Trap Corner.

My brother James Coffin and Jimbo Coffin came visiting, said he was feeling better today.

Sherry Thayer and Jason, Herman and Thelma Card, Richard Felt, Charlotte Cole also visited. Joe Vatcher brought a big bowl of chowder. It was delicious, Madge.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Leon "Bud" Hadley.

It is predicted we have quite a storm coming our way.

We have had a few gorgeous days this past week.

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Peggy Lamb and John Beane of Palermo and Wendy Lamb of Portland spent the day on Saturday with Newton and Joyce Lamb. And surprise visitors were son Allen Lamb and friend Chris from Santa Fe, N.M. They had been on business in Mass.

Virginia Aridas of Holbrook, N.Y. has been spending several days this week with her parents Vernon and Miriam Inman.

Dick and Carolyn Snow of Bath spent the past weekend with Gordon and Sally Doughty.

The Historical Society will meet on Monday, Mar. 15 for a 6 p.m. potluck supper. Ida and Howard Gurney are in charge. Following the meeting Gary Inman will provide the entertainment.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Annie Laughton of Columbia was a Thursday guest of Laurie Brown. The girls, Ben, Roland and I went to Bethel for my therapy and on to Lovell to visit Penny Bernier and deliver a log cabin quilt that Laurie constructed.

Backstreet has been in poor condition as it was not repaired after a major washout last spring. For the past few weeks a frozen culvert has made traveling hazardous. A pickup truck belonging to one of the woodsmen working in the area was stuck in the cavity made by the water running around and over the culvert instead of through it.

The weather has been at its mid-winter best with sunshine, warmth and calm but has turned "Marchy."

Our sincere congratulations to Jerry Geiling and Amy Conati for their recent marriage. Father Belle performed the ceremony on February 27 in the St. Pius Church in Errol with Amy's sister, Lisa Lambert as matron of honor. Mark Lambert of Schenectady, N.Y. and husband of Lisa stood with Jerry as best man.

Bill Wood was isolated in his home for more than a week as the February storms had piled in too fast for the plow to take care of. Bob Brown was able to clear the road with a farm tractor and bucket loader. A dog and parrot are good company but almost any human face would be a welcome sight after so long a time.

John and Avis Arata were in town to shovel the roof of their camp recently. Most roofs appear to be in no danger of blowing away.

We went to South Paris Thursday and basked in the splendor of trees covered with great dollops of snow pudding. Thick icicles hang down below the window sill level and the sun's rays across the fields give a high gloss to the white surface. For those who fled this beauty for snakes and high crime I say, "I hope the oranges are sweeter."

West Paris

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Main Street as it passed through the village.

Charlie Coffin said since Route 219 is a state road, the state should pay all construction costs.

Selectman Howard Gurney replied that the town's share of \$75,000 for the \$1 million project will cover the cost of replacing or repairing sidewalks and any other town-related expenses.

Voters also approved \$1,000 for perpetual care at the Wayside Cemetery despite the objections of selectmen and the budget committee.

Phelps Poland said he thought in the past the town had paid \$200 a year automatically to the cemetery.

Selectman Wade Gurney acknowledged the past practice, but said selectmen could not find any previous Town Meeting article that covered automatic payment to the

cemetery and the bill had gone unpaid from 1987 to 1991. The town paid \$200 last year, he said.

The selectmen and budget committee recommended not paying the \$1,000, but voters approved the expenditure.

Voters also approved \$50,000 to operate the transfer station, \$44,000 for winter road maintenance, \$33,000 for tarring roads, \$32,000 for highways and bridges, \$30,000 town officer's salaries, \$1,460 for the Oxford Hills Area Development Council.

Voters also asked selectmen to place an article on the town warrant next year, calling for a vote on

whether or not the annual warrant should list the original requests of service organizations.

This year, as in past years, just the selectmen's recommendations were listed. On the warrant the selectmen recommended that all service groups be funded at last year's level, despite requests for higher amounts.

Selectmen said they would consider the request.

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THURSDAY EVENING MARCH 11, 1993											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "The Bingo Long Traveling All-Stars and Motor Kings"				Hogan	Cheers	H'mooner		
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Fats Domino & Friends		700 Club		Scarecr.-King		
6	Teach the	Roseanne	Cheers	Wings	Cheers	Seinfeld	Crime & Punishment		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Boss?	Golden G.	Billy Graham Crusade		Primetime Live		News	Nightline	
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		MaineWatch		Mystery!		Bradshaw and the Family		Ch. Rose		
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: ACC Tournament				College Basketball: Atlantic 10 Champ.				Sportsctr.	
(12)	Video Prime		Crook and Chase		Nashville Now			On Stage	Club Dance		
13	Entertain.	Edison	Top Cops		Street Stories		Knots Landing		News		
(14)	Basketball	10th Frame	Larry Bird's Retirement Ceremony				Sprts Med		Winston Cup Special		
(15)	Movie: "Edward Scissorhands"				Movie: "Hired to Kill"			Comedy		"I Come in Peace"	
(17)	"Dark Horse" Cont'd		Movie: "White Fang"					Almost Human		Conquest-Apes	
(18)	"The Toy" Cont'd		Movie: "To Kill For"		Movie: "Hot Under the Collar"			Movie: "Poltergeist III"			
(20)	Bruins	NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins					Major Indoor Lacrosse				
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "Liberace"				ThirtySomething		
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Lonesome Dove			Movie: "Two Mules for Sister Sara"					
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop	
(25)	Movie: "The Buccaneer"					Movie: "One Hour With You"			"To Each His Own"		
(26)	Quantum Leap		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Accused"				MacGyver		
(27)	In Search Of...		Real West		Wildlife Mysteries		Brute Force: Weapons		Evening at the Improv		
(32)	Gimme B.	Fish	Simon & Simon		Barnaby Jones		News		Sts. of Frisco		
(34)	Design. W.		NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Miami Heat			News			Night Court		Highlander
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports		Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 12, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	College Basketball: Big East Tournament				College Basketball: Big East Tournament				Cheers	H'mooner
(5)	Big Jake	Mansion	Movie: "Batman"		700 Club			Scarecr.-King		
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Figure Skating: Men's		Movie: "In the Arms of a Killer"			News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Family	Step by S.	Getting By	Where-Live	20/20	News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Wash. Wk	Wall St.	Are You Being Served? Marathon					
(11)	College Basketball: ACC Tournament				College Basketball: Atlantic Coast Conference Tournament					Sportsctr.
(12)	Video Prime		Crook and Chase		Nashville Now			Encore!	Club Dance	
(13)	Entertain	Edison	G. Palace	Major Dad	Design. W.	Bob	Picket Fences	News		
(14)	Pregame	NBA Basketball: Milwaukee Bucks at Boston Celtics			Rinkside		Sportsclub	Skiing	Basketball	
(15)	Night Train-Kathmandu		Movie: "Exposure"			Movie: "Zandalee"			Hard TV	
(17)	FernGully	B Boop	Movie: "Spooner"				Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson"			
(18)	Philadelphia Experiment			Movie: "White Mischief"		Movie: "The King of the Kickboxers"				
(20)	College Hockey: Hockey East Quarterfinal				College Basketball: Big 8 Quarterfinal				Basketball	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "Perfect People"				Thirtysomething	
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "There Was a Crooked Man"					Movie: "The Master Gunfighter"		
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop
(25)	Save-Films		Movie: "Becky Sharp"		Save-Films		Movie: "Laura"		Save-Films	
(26)	Quantum Leap		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Every Which Way but Loose"				The Take	
(27)	In Search Of		Time Machine		Investigative Reports		Caroline's Comedy Hour		Evening at the Improv	
(32)	College Basketball: Big East Quarterfinal				College Basketball: Big East Quarterfinal				News	Temps
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Magnificent Thief"			News			Night Court	Comedy
(39)	Moneyline		Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 13, 1993											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Golden G	Golden G	Movie: "Young Catherine"				Movie: "Young Catherine"				
(5)	Rin Tin Tin	Zorro	Young Riders		Movie: "Ironside"			Bonanza			
6	Grizzly Adams	Figure Skating: World Championships				Reasonable Doubts		News	Sat Night		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Young Indiana Jones and Mystery of Blues				Commish		News	In Concert	
10	Peter, Paul & Mommy, Too				Paul Simon: Born at the Right Time						
(11)	Basketball: College Basketball		Great Midwest Championship			College Basketball: WAC Championship			Sportsctr		
(12)	Texas Connection		Opry	GrandOpry	Stallar Bros		American Music Shop		Opry	GrandOpry	
13	Untouchables		Medicine Woman		How d They Do That?			News			
(14)	Baseball		Skung		NHL Hockey: Buffalo Sabres at Hartford Whalers				College Hockey		
(15)	"Almost an Angel"		Movie: "Memoirs of an Invisible Man"				Movie: "The Mambo Kings"				
(17)	Movie: "The Love Bug"				Movie: "Max Dugan Returns"				Movie: "The Chosen"		
(18)	Doc Hollywod		Movie: "Basket Case"		Movie: "One False Move"			Martial-2			
(20)	College Hockey: Hockey East Quarterfinal					College Basketball: Big 8 Tournament Semifinal			Basketball		
(21)	"The Last Frontier"		Movie: "Death Dreams"				Hidden	Confession	Unsolved Mysteries		
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "The Blue Lightning"				Movie: "Travis McGee"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	R house	Ren-Stimpy	Afraid?	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	
(25)	"Citizen Kane" Cont'd		Movie: "His Girl Friday"		Save-Films		Movie: "The Diary of Anne Frank"				
(26)	Matrix		Movie: "Going Berserk"				Silk Stalkings		"My Bloody Valentine"		
(27)	Travelquest		Hm Again		Movie: "Charley Varrick"			Comedy on the Road		Caroline's Comedy Hour	
(32)	Gimme B	Boss?	Simon & Simon		News		NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Phoenix Suns				
(34)	Runaway		Design. W.		Movie: "Conspiracy of Hearts"			News		Suspect	Danger
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat	Primenews		Both Sides		Sources	World News		Sports	Captal

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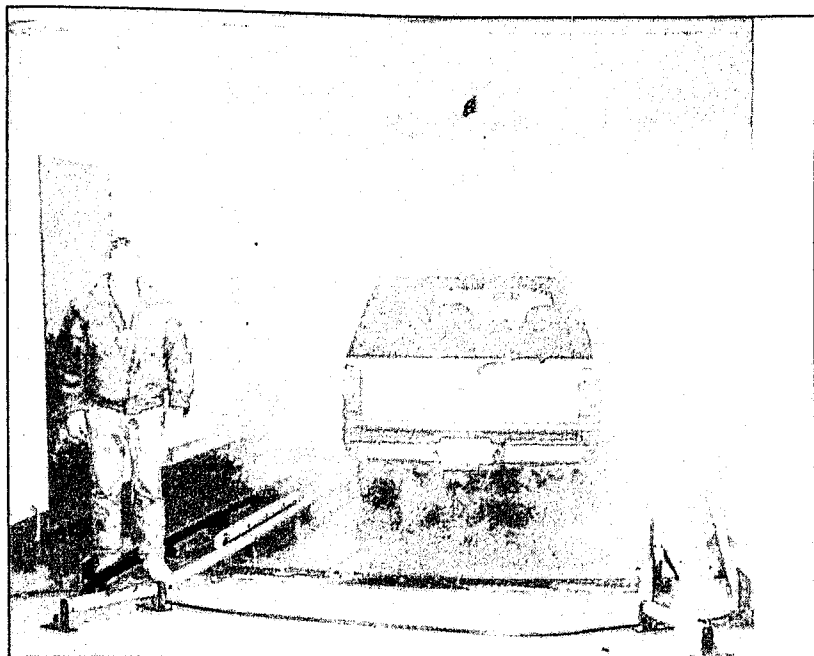
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SUNDAY EVENING MARCH 14, 1993											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	"Scalawag" Cont'd		Movie: "Tough Guys"				Manager	Hogan	Sports	Arms-Love	
(5)	Mansion	Rin Tin Tin	Skies	Stallion	Scott Ross	Street Talk	In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg	
(6)	Figure Skating: Dance		I Witness Video		Movie: "Kuffs"				News	Sports	
(8)	Videos	Funniest	Day One		Movie: "Lies and Lullabies"				News	Emer. Call	
(10)	Austin City Limits		Victor Borge: Then & Now				Bradshaw-Fam.		Story of Gilbert		
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball		Horse R.		Boxing: Bramble vs. Mayweather			Sportscenter		
(12)	American Sports Cavalcade			Raceday		Fishin'	Fishing	Bassmaster	Outdoors	Road Test: Trucks	
(13)	60 Minutes		Murder: She Wrote		Movie: "Men Don't Tell"				News		
(14)	Hockey	Pregame	NBA Basketball: Charlotte Hornets at Boston Celtics				Horse R.		Th breeds	Hockey	
(15)	Empire Strikes		Movie: "Radio Flyer"				Movie: "White Men Can't Jump"				
(17)	Movie: "Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo"			Legends of Comedy			Movie: "Waiting for the Light"				
(18)	"Delirious" Cont'd		Movie: "Blackbelt"			Movie: "Heartbreak Ridge"					
(20)	College Wrestling: Big Eight Championship					College Wrestling: Big Ten Championship					
(21)	Physicians	Milestones	Journal	Family	Cardiology	Medicine	Ob/Gyn	Family	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
(22)	Movie: "Mad Max"				National Geographic Explorer				Earth: Grade		
(24)	Looney	Looney	Nick News	F-Troop	Work	Van Dyke	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	M.T. Moore	Dragnet	
(25)	Movie: "Cleopatra"				Movie: "The Sign of the Cross"						Reflection
(26)	MacGyver		Movie: "Drive Like Lightning"				Matrix		Silk Stalkings		
(27)	Real West		Movie: "Night Moves"				Miss Marple		Broadshead Revisited		
(32)	Simon & Simon		Gloria	Gimme B.	Cousteau's Rediscovery		News	Golf Show	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
(34)	"The Profane Comedy"			Street Justice		Gift of Love		News	Know Bul	Kojak	
(39)	Business	Short Sun.	Primenews		Week in Review		World News		Sports	Business	



AUTOMATIC WASHER--Dan's Carwash owner Dan Davis of Bethel demonstrates his automatic carwashing bay. The carwash opened recently on Cross Street. It features do-your-own hosing starting at \$1.75, a fully automatic wash and wax for \$6 and outside vacuums. The carwash is all self-service and open 24-hours-a-day.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Local OMers sharpening their wits

By DONNA RICHARDS

The Western Maine Odyssey of the Mind Regional Tournament will be held on Saturday, Mar. 13, starting at 8 a.m. at the Mountain Valley Middle School in Mexico.

Teams are judged on how well they meet the problem requirements determined by the Odyssey of the Mind organization. Students must complete all work without any adult assistance, which includes deciding on the ideas to solve the problem, researching the material and skills they will need to get their problem solution, building props and structures, making costumes, writing skits, and working as a team to resolve both technical and creative challenges.

Teams that place first will be eligible to compete against first-place teams from Southern, Eastern, Northern, and Central regions of the state at the OM State Tournament, which will be held at the University

of Maine in Orono on April 3.

The following local teams will be competing at the Mountain Valley Middle School Division 1 (grades four and five)--from Crescent Park School:

Dinosaurs--Emily Gilbert, Casey Gilbert, Amanda McGrew, Thomas Parsons, Sarah Reed, Daniel Stevens, and Ben Vonderheide. Team coaches are Debbie Gilbert and Althea Stevens.

Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Darcy Buker, Samantha Mullen, Taleah Paradis, Colin Penley, Sarah Rackliffe, Tom Reed, and Sarah Vaddella. Team coaches are Kelly Vascik and Lisa Vonderheide.

Which End Is Up?--Iain Bean, Lisa Crowell, Stephanie Gavett, Angus Graham, Heather Roderick, and Rebecca Roford. Team coach is Denise Roderick.

Folk Tales--Paige Brown, Patrick Donovan, Annie Kennett, Sarah Marshall, Emily Parsons, and

Stephanie Vaughan. Team coach is Amy Chapman.

Division 2 (grades six, seven and eight)--from Telstar Middle School:

Which End Is Up?--Phoebe Brown, Sarah Crocker, Jayson Hebert, Kyle Moran, Cathy Morgan, Emily Morton, and Jenny Mae Wheeler. Team coach is Walter Hatch.

The Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Caitlin Bass, Katie Chapman, Michelle McInnis, Martha Grover, Teri Chadbourn, and Laurie Young. Coaches are Donna Richard and Jean Bass.

Division 3 (grades nine, 10, 11, and 12)--from Telstar High School:

The Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Jacob Annis, Becky Chandler, Lydia Grover, Teresa Curtis, Melissa Howe and Dawn Seames. Team coach is Nancy Grover.

STATEWIDE GATHERING FOR WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV

Many women in Maine are living with HIV; about 250 to 350 are infected and others are deeply affected because they are parenting children with HIV or are close to someone with the virus. Some are both infected and affected. Because of the fear of discrimination and/or rejection by family, friends or communities, many women, especially those in the more rural areas, have no one or few others to talk with about their situation.

The Women's HIV Support Program holds strictly confidential, statewide gatherings in different regions throughout the year, free of charge, to women living with HIV. Openings are still available for the fourth gathering, which will be held in the Sebago Lake area on Mar. 14 to 16, offering workshops, discussions, sharing, relaxation and time for fun to women infected or deeply affected by HIV.

To register or for more information call Down East AIDS Network 667-3506. Help with transportation may be available.

NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF SKIERS VISITS

Over 700 African-American skiers will visit Sunday River Ski Resort March 11 through 14 as the National Brotherhood of Skiers holds its annual Eastern Summit.

The visit represents the first time the NBS has selected the same ski resort for its meeting two years in a row. The organization consists of over 75 ski clubs with more than 20,000 members.

In addition to recreational and competitive alpine and nordic skiing for participants, the NBS identifies and provides scholarship support to develop Olympic caliber minority skiers, and promotes winter sports among minorities.

TROOP 565 MEETS

The weekly meeting of Boy Scout Troop 565 Bethel was held Wednesday, March 3 at the West Parish Congregational Church.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance by Freeman Corriveau, Scout Oath by Randy Gross, and Scout Law by Alex Ojeda.

During the evening the Scouts updated their books for the next rank advancement, and dues were collected by Axel Annis.

The meeting was brought to a close by Jake Annis.

Rotary Club notes

The Tuesday, March 2 meeting was the monthly club assembly. President Jeff Parsons presided over the meeting.

Vocational service director, Marilyn Wyman reported that plans were complete for the upcoming Career Day at Telstar High School. This is an annual event that gives a tremendous opportunity to students to learn about up to four different careers directly from professionals.

International service director, Wendy Penley reported that plans are going forward for the Spanish-American Youth Exchange this summer. There is also discussion pending regarding another smaller Rotary sponsored exchange program. Steve Wight made an announcement regarding an opportunity that the Newry Recreation Board is organizing to send Bethel area youth to Newry, Ireland later this summer. For more information on this call Steve at 824-2410.

Community service director, George Larson advised that the upcoming pancake breakfast was well organized and would be benefiting Rotary's Educational Assistance Fund.

Club service director, Scott Dennis informed the club that the committee was planning a club social. David Murphy volunteered to organize this. Scott also chairs the Scholarship Committee which will be meeting in the next weeks to review this process.

David Murphy, who chairs the Fundraising Committee, has several ideas for future events. Rick Flint is going to head up the Mollycoddle Day food project as well as a golf tournament, planned for August. Wendy Penley will be taking charge of the Rotary food booth at the Bethel Art Fair.

John Head made an announcement regarding an upcoming Australian Exchange, May 23 through 27.

President Elect Nancy Harrison invited club members to join her and several other Rotarians at the Windham Rotary Club 10th Anniversary Social. She also reminded members of the May 1 District Assembly to be held at the University of New England in Biddeford.

Visitors for the morning were Charles Whittier, Portland; Bill Newell, Oxford Hills; Lennie Shaw, Gorham; Shirley Powell, Rumford and Barbara Testani.



Sherry Rose

SHERRY ROSE TAKES NEW POSITION AT AHHS

Sherry Rose of Bethel was recently named as quality assurance coordinator for Androscoggin Home Health Service.

Rose has been a member of the AHHS staff since June of 1991, initially based in the agency's Norway office and serving as a psychiatric/medical/surgical home-care nurse. She has also worked in critical-care nursing at St. Joseph's Hospital in Bangor as well as psychiatric nursing in Boston.

Rose completed her Bachelor of Science in Nursing at the University of Connecticut in 1986. She will begin graduate studies in community health nursing at the University of Southern Maine later this year. She is certified in psychiatric nursing, advanced cardiac life support, and has taken AHHS training to serve as an AHHS hospice volunteer. In 1990, she was honored at St. Joseph's Hospital as the medical/surgical nurse who best represented the hospital's mission. She is a member of the American Nurses Association and the Maine State Nursing Association.

U.S. Savings Bonds

Task Force notes:

Two subcommittees of the Bethel Area Task Force have met recently and will discuss their work at the next Task Force meeting on Mar. 21. A group led by John Shorb is designing ways of addressing community issues around cultural and ethnic diversity. Gwyneth Bohr heads a team developing a progress report on Task Force activities and Community Action Group projects. She will share this information with the NTL membership meeting in mid-March and will report from the NTL conference at the Task Force meeting.

The Task Force will meet at 7 p.m. at the Bingham House on Sunday, Mar. 21. All members and other interested community members are invited to hear the above reports, as well as updates from Community Action Groups and advance planning for the NTL season.

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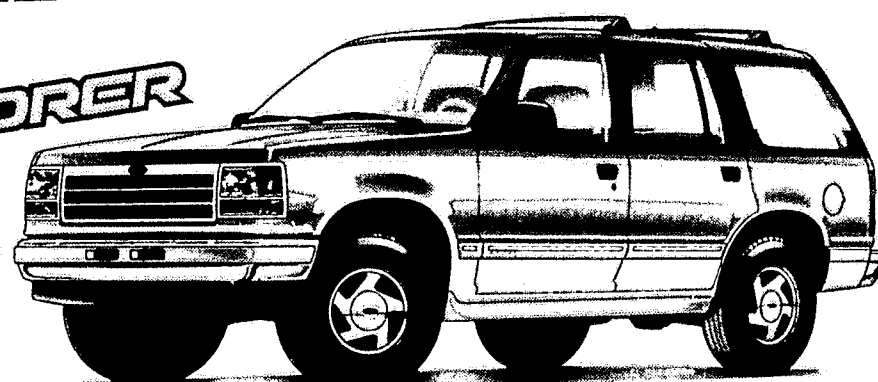


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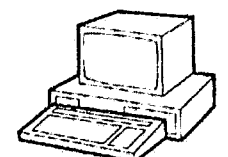
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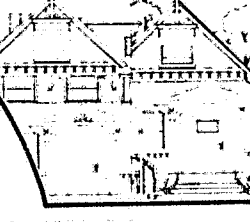


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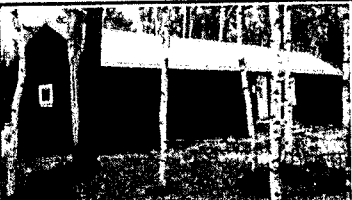


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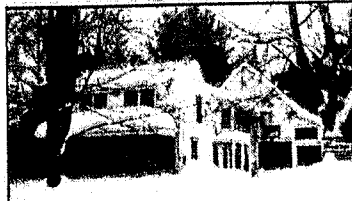
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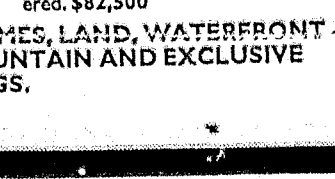
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THOUGHTS FROM THE Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words comfort and hope for your daily life.

The 23rd Psalm, to be read in most churches next Sunday, is probably the most familiar and the most beloved psalm of all the psalms. What is its appeal?

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." In the midst of the chaos, uncertainty and neediness of our times, and all times, we are reminded that God will care for us and God will provide. Even people in cities who are unfamiliar with the pastoral imagery are calmed by this image which moves on through the poem. "He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters."

"He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake." Even in the midst of our pettiness, unkindness and greediness, we long for something better, for goodness. God will revitalize us, not because of our goodness or in spite of our badness, but for God's own sake. We can relax!

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;

thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over." We need fear nothing—not death, nor evil, nor enemies for God is with us blessing us. We can be joyful.

"Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever." What assurance! We are confident that we can live forever in the goodness and mercy of God's presence.

I believe it is the real security and comfort offered in this psalm that appeals to people in all ages. We have sought security in every way we know—from insurance, government, work, family. We have sought comfort by every means we can think of—family, possessions, friends. Yet deep in our hearts we yearn for something more lasting than the temporal. It is not surprising that people who are dying request this 23rd psalm and this is the psalm most likely to be read at their funerals to comfort those who mourn. The psalm gives us the blessed assurance that the Lord will protect us, free us from fear and care for us all our lives long and be present to us forever. The 23rd psalm appeals to our deep yearning for the eternal, for security and comfort that will last.

The Rev. Gwyneth Bohr
Episcopal Priest

Davidians are not Adventists

(The Northern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists of Portland has requested that the following clarification be published.) "Branch Davidians" in the news today have no connection with the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Several splinter groups away from Victor Houteff, who was dis-fellowshipped from the Seventh-day Adventist Church and its ministry at Los Angeles in 1929, Vernon Howell assumed leadership of the current Waco group in 1988 after being acquitted following a shoot-out with George Roden.

The 1988 gun battle was in dispute of the Mount Carmel property near Waco, Tx., which George said was his, following the death of his Father Ben in 1978.

Through the years, the group—which has changed leaders and membership as further splinters were developed—have called themselves The Shepherd's Rod, Davidian Seventh-day Adventists, Branch Davidians, and the Davidians. Not one of them is known to hold membership in a Seventh-day Adventist Church at Waco or any other place. Howell was dis-fellowshipped from the Tyler, Tx., congregation in 1981.

Leaders of the various groups have included Victor Houteff's widow Florence, Ben Roden, Lois Roden, George Roden, and Vernon Howell.

Seventh-day Adventists total more than seven million in 208 countries worldwide. They promote the sanctity of the family, practice allegiance to government, observe the seventh-day (Saturday) Sabbath, believe in a second advent of Christ, follow a non-violent lifestyle, and acknowledge Christ as the Judge of the universe.

While North American membership exceeds 783,000, about nine of every 10 Adventists live in other nations.

CARD OF THANKS

Crescent Park 3rd grade would like to thank those who supported us at our two recent fund-raisers. To all the parents who baked goodies, sent in Donations (money and food) at the supper and movies, and those who came. A special thanks to West Parish Congo Church for hosting our supper, to Cisco & Poncho's for BIG pots and Gliddens IGA for food donations.

The tremendous success will allow us to go on all planned field trips. Thank You,

The Third Grade.

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Many thanks to all who have been so good to my family and me during my sickness.

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Births

Violet Palmer of Bryant Pond is pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Zachary Austin Palmer, born on Feb. 24, 1993, at 2:08 p.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 lbs, 2 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Herman and Nancy Palmer of Bryant Pond.

Zachary joins a sister, Lacey, 11, and a brother, Justin, 6.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Bethel United Methodist Women met on Thursday, Mar. 4 at the church dining room. Following opening devotions and reports, communications were read from the Maine conference and the Southern District of United Methodist Women.

Members reported 29 sick calls. Lyndell Carter reported for the Luncheon Committee and asked for suggestions. Discussion followed. Members present signed the American Family Association petition of support advertisement which expresses outrage at the violence and crime portrayed in today's movies, TV, videos and recordings.

Further discussion included plans for craft projects to be worked on for Friday Gift Shop. Refreshments were served and a short work session followed.

AFTER 5 CLUB

The Western Maine After 5 Club will hold their monthly ladies' meeting on Tuesday, Mar. 16, at 6:30 p.m. at Goldstreet Restaurant in South Paris.

The special feature will be provided by Joan Markey, area representative from the American Cancer Society. Joan Cannuli will entertain the group with special music. The special speaker is Marge Davis from Bristol.

The menu includes chicken Kiev, salad, vegetable, and dessert. The price is \$7.50 inclusive. Reservations are needed and can be made by calling (by March 12, please) Martha at 743-0260, Ellen at 647-8138, or Debby at 836-3763.

VAIL NAMED V.P. OF MAINE DAIRY GOAT COUNCIL

Heather Vail of Garden Path Farm in Greenwood has been elected vice president of the Maine Dairy Goat Council.

The MDGC was formed to promote Maine dairy goats and products related to them, such as milk, cheese, chevon and soap. The council also serves as a contact point for people interested in learning more about goats.

Other officers elected at the March meeting include President Dick Saucier of Merrymeeting Farm in Topsham, and Secretary/Treasurer Prue Cundy of Serenity Farm in North Edgcomb.

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Obituaries

SERENA F. BUCK

Serena F. Buck, 80, of Route 232 Bethel, died Mar. 2, 1993, at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston, where she had been a patient for 12 days.

She was born Aug. 31, 1912 in Rumford, the daughter of George and Nellie Jewel Kerr. She was educated in Rumford schools. In recent years, she had made her home with her great-granddaughter, Tina Martin of Bethel. She was predeceased by two husbands, John Gigliotti and Urban Buck.

Mrs. Buck is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John (Mary) Hall of Rumford and Joan Sicoite of Mexico; and two sisters, Mrs. Wilfred (Zella) Dube of Rumford and Mrs. William (Edith) Vaillancourt of Mexico.

At the request of the deceased, there will be a graveside service at St. John Cemetery later in the spring. Should friends desire, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 456, Brunswick, ME 04011 in memory of Mrs. Buck. Arrangements under the direction of the S.G. Thibault Funeral Home, Rumford.

ALICE JODREY

Mrs. Alice V. Jodrey, 72, a lifelong resident of Andover, died Saturday, March 6, 1993 at the Rumford Community Hospital.

She was born in Andover on March 4, 1921, the daughter of Virgil and Dorothy Roberts Cole. She graduated from Andover High School class of 1938. She had been employed at the R. J. Swain Dowel Mill and then worked at Andover Wood Products and G. H. Bass for several years until retirement. She was married in Rumford Center on Dec. 18, 1938 to John W. Jodrey Sr.

She is survived by her husband, John, of Andover; four sons, John Jodrey Jr. of Mexico, Leroy Jodrey of Canton, and Kenneth and Richard Jodrey, both of Andover; five daughters, Mrs. Hanson (Elaine) Morton and Mrs. Owen (Virginia) Morton, both of Andover, Mrs. Loretta Huston of Sanford, Mrs. Alfred (Roberta) Roy of Frye, and Mrs. James (Rosemary) Taylor of Mexico; one brother, Arthur Cole of Andover; 32 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a daughter, Dorothy Amy Jodrey, and a grandson, Alfred Roy Jr.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, 3 Franklin St., Rumford, with Rev. Ronald Ashworth officiating. Interment will be in the spring in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Andover. Those who desire may contribute to the Andover Rescue Unit, Andover, Maine 04216, in memory of Mrs. Alice Jodrey. Visitation was held at 7 p.m. on Sunday, of the Rumford-Andover-Mexico Fire Depts.



Mr. & Mrs. James A. Fiske

James A. Fiske and Jeanne Maroney of Bryn Mawr, Pa., are announcing their marriage which took place on Dec. 17, 1992, at Pittsburgh, Pa. The bride attended schools in Bryn Mawr, Pa., and graduated from Smith College in Northampton, Mass. She is the daughter of Peter B. Maroney of Berwyn, Pa., and of Dr. Stephanie Maroney of Elkins Park, Pa. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. James Fiske of Bethel, attended local schools and graduated from Bowdoin College. He is employed by Chubb Insurance Group.

The couple are now residing at 922 Tally Drive, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PASSENGER RAIL SERVICE: A 'MAINEWATCH' SPECIAL

Maine Public Television's "MaineWatch" Team turns its attention to the future of passenger rail service in Maine during its one-hour special Thursday, Mar. 11, at 8 p.m. Special coverage is given Amtrak's Boston-to-Portland run scheduled to be in service late in 1993 or early in 1994.

Angus King, Bill Maroldo and Jim Brunelle look at the importance of

passenger rail service to the overall transportation needs of Maine and the country; who rides the trains and at what cost and savings; and whether train service is cost-efficient, practical and safe.

Two field reports will be included. The program opens with an overview of the topic with excerpts from the Feb. 1 public hearing in Portland determining the site for the new terminal. A later report features a nostalgic look back at the old Portland-Lewiston Interurban electric rail system, founded in 1914 by Lewiston industrialist W. Scott Libbey.

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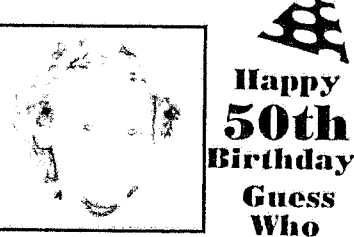
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Canadian investor seeking bigger share of Bethel Bancorp

Has support of management, most shareholders

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A Canadian investor has filed with the federal Office of Thrift Supervision and the Maine Bank Superintendent for approval to "acquire control" of Bethel Bancorp, the holding company for Bethel Savings Bank, F.S.B. and Brunswick Federal Savings, F.A.

"Control" under the terms of securities regulations is 25 percent or more of a public company's stock.

According to Bob Studley, principal bank examiner for the state's banking agency, Ronald Goguen of Moncton, New Brunswick has applied for approval to acquire up to 40 percent of the local Bancorp's stock.

The application has been made in the name of Goguen's affiliate corporation, Square Lake Holding Corp. of Presque Isle, which has offered \$1 million for a special issue of Bancorp preferred stock and warrants.

Goguen is currently a director of the Bancorp, and Square Lake is already the company's largest shareholder.

Square Lake's application to acquire the additional shares has the support of the Bancorp's

management and the majority of its current shareholders.

Jim Delamater, president and CEO of the Bancorp, said "Both the management and board of directors of Bethel Bancorp are pleased with the terms of this transaction, as well as the relationship between Mr. Goguen and the company."

At the Bancorp's annual meeting in October, shareholders voted "overwhelmingly," according to Delamater, to authorize the sale.

Delamater said the proceeds of the offering would be used to strengthen the Bancorp's already "very strong" capital base and to pay down existing debt from the 1989 purchase of Brunswick Federal Savings.

Delamater dismissed the "acquire control" aspect of the transaction as a legal formality.

"Goguen doesn't have control and is not looking to have control," Delamater said. "We're very fortunate to have that kind of guy to work with, someone who believes his capital will do well with us."

Some local dissent

Bank examiner Studley said applications such as the one filed by Square Lake are "fairly rare in Maine." To his knowledge, he said, this is the first instance in at least three years of an individual seeking such control over a Maine bank.

A number of small, local shareholders—most of whom



BETHEL BANCORP SENIOR MANAGEMENT is welcoming Robert Goguen's offer to purchase an additional \$1 million of stock.

Committee hopes to develop new housing options for the elderly

By WENDY HANSCOM

When Bethel area residents are no longer able to live in their own homes, but don't need nursing home care, what do they do?

Many are forced to leave their community ties behind and search for alternative housing outside the Bethel area.

Members of the Community Retirement Living Committee say they want to provide another choice for retirees, one that would keep them in the community.

The committee is hoping lots of research and leg work will show Bethel can support an elderly independent living center for the elderly.

The committee has spent over 200 hours researching the idea.

They have also visited several such complexes.

Committee member Jean Bass said she hopes the study will attract a developer to the project.

"Some elderly people need alternative housing because they can't maintain their own home," Bass said, "but don't need the level of care that a nursing home provides."

Most of the housing complexes the committee has visited offer some degree of "assisted living," she said, such as organized activities at the center, field trips, trash and snow removal, laundry facilities, on-call medical personnel and at least one meal a day in a community dining room.

"This kind of congregate living

provides an option for people who do not qualify for subsidized housing because they have some equity," Bass said.

"People don't want to leave this area just because there isn't the right type of facility here," said committee member Walter Hatch. "They want to stay part of the community."

Bethel offers a number of activities for retirees, Bass said, including NTL courses, Mahoosuc Arts and Gould Academy performances, a wide range of SAD 44 Adult Education classes and more. The area also provides access to numerous outdoor activities such as skiing, hiking and canoeing, she added.

"This is a place that encourages people to stay active," Hatch said.

The committee is affiliated with the Bethel Area Health Center and is working toward getting a grant for a demographic study.

If the demographics look good, then the group hopes to do a marketing study to gauge interest in the project more closely, Hatch said.

The committee may go as far as lining up names of people interested in living at an elderly congregate housing facility, Bass said. Then prospective developers would be contacted.

"We hope to establish there is a market for the project," Hatch said. "We'll take it as fast as we can, but we're all resigned to a long-term effort."

Bass said information the committee's collected so far indicates that the facility should consist of 40 to 50 units to make it profitable. The complex would probably be located fairly close to the Bethel village, she said.

The cost of living in most assisted living centers ranges from about \$850 to over \$3,000 per month, Bass said.

The more assisted living program services a person signs up for, Bass said, the more expensive the rent

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WINNING WEDGIE ON MOONSTRUCK—Maine Gov. John McKernan uses a classic wedge turn to carve his way to a first place finish in the final leg of the New England Governors' Ski Challenge, held Monday on Sunday River's Moonstruck trail. Each of the three northern New England governors won the individual race when it was held in his home state, but the Maine state team handily took the overall team title, and will hold the victory trophy until next year. McKernan used the opportunity of Monday's victory to praise the economic impact of skiing on the Maine economy. Despite the state's budget woes, the governor has proposed nearly tripling the state's tourism promotion budget for the coming year, and skiing and snowmobiling, he said, will be the focus of those extra dollars.

(Photo by Sharon McNeill/Sunday River)

Town Meetings:

Greenwood expenses up slightly

By WENDY HANSCOM

Greenwood's mill rate, currently \$13.80 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, will probably go by about a dollar if voters approve all 52 warrants at Saturday's annual Town Meeting. Voters will also consider several tax and property issues.

The town's proposed municipal budget is up approximately \$42,000 over last year's budget—up to \$378,182 from \$335,515.

First Selectman Marie Bartlett said selectmen are estimating this year's total budget at \$804,182. That figure includes "guesstimates"

for school and county tax levies, Bartlett said.

The town's Fire Department is also asking for more money for equipment this year.

Last year voters approved \$11,500 for the department, but this year the department is asking for \$18,000. Most of the increase will be used to buy equipment to meet state mandates regarding the handling of hazardous waste.

One budget item not going up this year is salaries for town officials and employees. Bartlett said that for the third year in a row everyone on the town payroll has volunteered to

work for another year at their present salary.

New items

New on the warrant this year is a request for \$25,000 from surplus for reevaluation of the town. Bartlett said the reevaluation will be done over two years for a total of \$50,000.

The town's surplus or "fund balance" account had \$283,052 as of Dec. 31, 1992, Bartlett said.

The selectmen are also asking for permission of allocate \$75,000 of

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Andover OKs higher legal budget, mandatory recycling

By RICH PLANTE

Sixty Andover voters at a seven-hour town meeting Saturday approved \$20,000 for legal services, gave selectmen authority to start a mandatory recycling program when the dump is closed, legalized the Board of Appeals, and denied two fire department rescue requests.

Voters also elected Kathy Williamson as selectman, with 203 votes to Gerald Schachter's 33. Brad Thibodeau was elected to the SAD 44 Board of Directors, with 162 votes to Gregory Peaslee's 83. Betsy Poor White was elected treasurer with 182 votes. Peaslee, who also ran for the office, had 53 votes. Phyllis Spaulding was

elected as both tax collector and clerk, defeating Kim Stinson by votes of 186 to 51 and 181 to 62.

While voters approved the \$20,000 recommended by the selectmen versus the \$10,000 Budget Committee recommendation, many citizens abstained from voting.

Noting that the account was over-drafted by 5 percent last year, Selectmen Chairman Brian Mills said there are two lawsuits still pending against the town and selectmen decided to recommend doubling the account.

Town Treasurer Al Legault, who was elected moderator of the meeting after several declined the nomination, said that the legal ser-

vices account was overdrafted by \$2,424 last year, and a large bill of \$1,400 or \$1,700 was already paid this year for legal costs.

Fred Emerson, a former selectman, asked about the MCI tax appeal case, and Mills said the state tax appeals board may hear the case within 30 days. Referring to the two cases still in litigation, Emerson then made a motion to approve \$20,000 and it was passed.

Under the discussion of the various insurance accounts, selectman candidate Gerald Schachter asked if

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West Paris voters agreeable

West Paris voters approved all but one of the 72 warrant articles considered at Tuesday's annual Town Meeting.

This year's municipal budget totals \$296,728 up \$523 from last year's budget.

The 80 voters at Tuesday's meeting elected not to install a street light in front of the Pit Stop on Route 2, but passed the remaining articles.

Road Commissioner Willard Keach was reelected and voters also approved extending the road commissioner's term from one year to three years.

Several voters said increasing the term to three years could make it difficult to get rid of an ineffective road commissioner. But Joe Makley argued that one year was not long enough for a road commissioner to organize his programs or to be judged on his effectiveness.

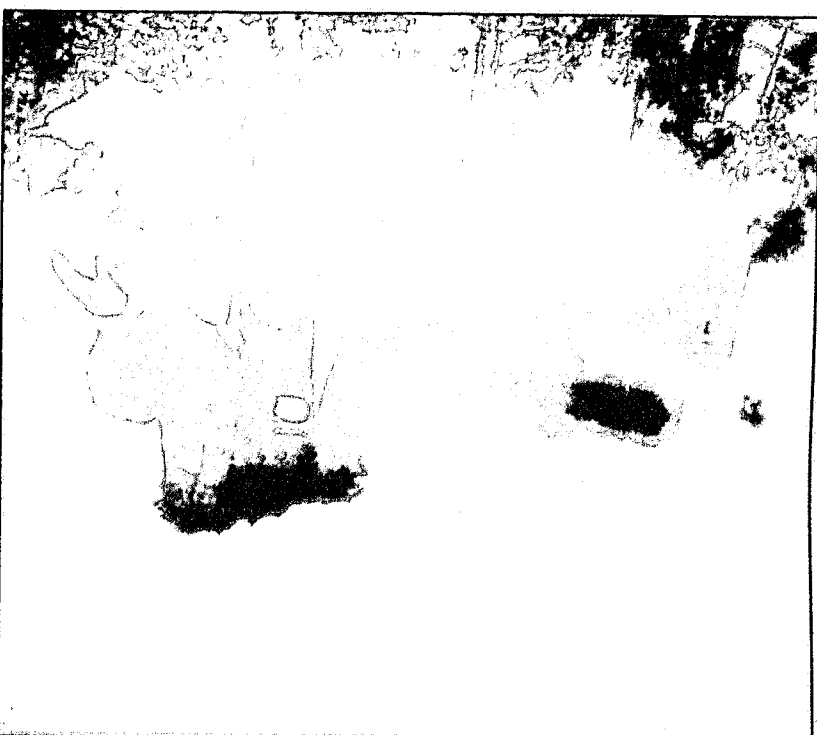
The article was ultimately ap-

proved and will go into effect at the 1994 Town Meeting.

Voters also balked at, but ultimately approved, putting away \$7,000 toward the town's share of repairs to Route 219.

The road serves as the town's

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UP TO HIS BELLY IN THE WHITE STUFF—Gould math instructor Rudy Penczer shows that this season we've got some serious snow hereabouts. Penczer was one of the co-leaders of the school's junior-point winter camping expedition, which included eight days of mountaineering on snowshoes. Each of the Academy's classes recently completed its annual four-points experiential project.

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Opinions

Guest Editorial

By BETH NAGUSKY

Central Maine Power is telling its customers that state policies promoting conservation will drive electric rates "through the roof." CMP has said it is "cutting (conservation) programs left and right" and that it wants to sell more of its surplus power by pricing electricity to encourage use.

One certainly could get the impression from listening to CMP that conservation is a bad idea in the 1990s and that conservation is responsible for driving electric rates sky high. Wrong on both counts. Whenever CMP can save energy for less than it costs to produce it, it saves us money. Every kilowatt you save is one you don't have to pay for. And, every kilowatt saved avoids the need to build and to run dirty, expensive power plants.

So why are electric rates so high? In the 1960s and 1970s, utilities told us that new technology, such as nuclear power, would soon result in power "too cheap to meter." They offered cash bonuses to contractors to build all-electric homes. They also encouraged high electric use by lowering rates as we consumed more power.

In the early 1980s, the utilities told us that power demand would continue to grow and we would need large-scale projects like the Seabrook nuclear plant and Hydro-Quebec. The state Public Utilities Commission (PUC) disagreed.

The PUC told Maine utilities to get out of Seabrook and not buy power from Hydro-Quebec. It told the utilities to buy cheaper power instead: from conservation programs, small-scale hydro dams and new wood-fired power plants. If our utilities had bought into Seabrook and Hydro-Quebec, in all probability our rates would be even higher now.

By 1990, it became clear that demand for power was not growing. In fact, with the recession, warm winter weather, and increased conservation, Maine now faces a power glut. As the utilities' fixed costs are spread over shrinking energy sales, our rates go up. Again, and again, and again. And those people who were enticed to buy all-electric homes in the 60s and 70s are feeling it the worst.

So now what does CMP want to do? It wants to "suspend" some of its low-cost energy conservation programs and entice us to buy more power through "promotional pricing." Of course, this increased consumption will not only use up the excess power that is available today, but it will ultimately require us to build expensive power plants. This will drive up rates again. Sound familiar? This is what got us into this mess in the first place!

Imagine getting a pair of pants and they're seven sizes too big. Would you go on an eating binge so you could gain 80 pounds and fit in the pants? Or would you return the pants for the right size? Well, we're stuck with oversized pants, and now the utilities want us to eat enough to make them fit!

There are more sensible ways to reduce rates than by dismantling low-cost conservation programs. If CMP wants to cut costs, it should examine whether it really needs 15 vice presidents. And, if utilities want to sell more power to bring rates down, then let's consider promoting electricity only where it is a more efficient and cleaner power source than oil, such as electric cars, heat pumps and other technologies. But let's not repeat our past mistakes. When someone tells you that saving electricity costs more, remember: Every kilowatt you save is one you don't have to pay for, no matter how high the rates are.

--Nagusky is a staff attorney for the Natural Resources Council of Maine

FROM THE Bethel Town Office

Belated thanks are offered to Gaudreau's Repair, Sherwood Jordan, and several firefighters for their volunteer efforts to put the 1977 Dodge pickup in service. The vehicle was acquired at no cost through the Maine Department of Conservation Forestry Service from the federal government through a surplus equipment program. It has now been painted and outfitted, and is contributing to the efficient response of the Bethel Fire Department.

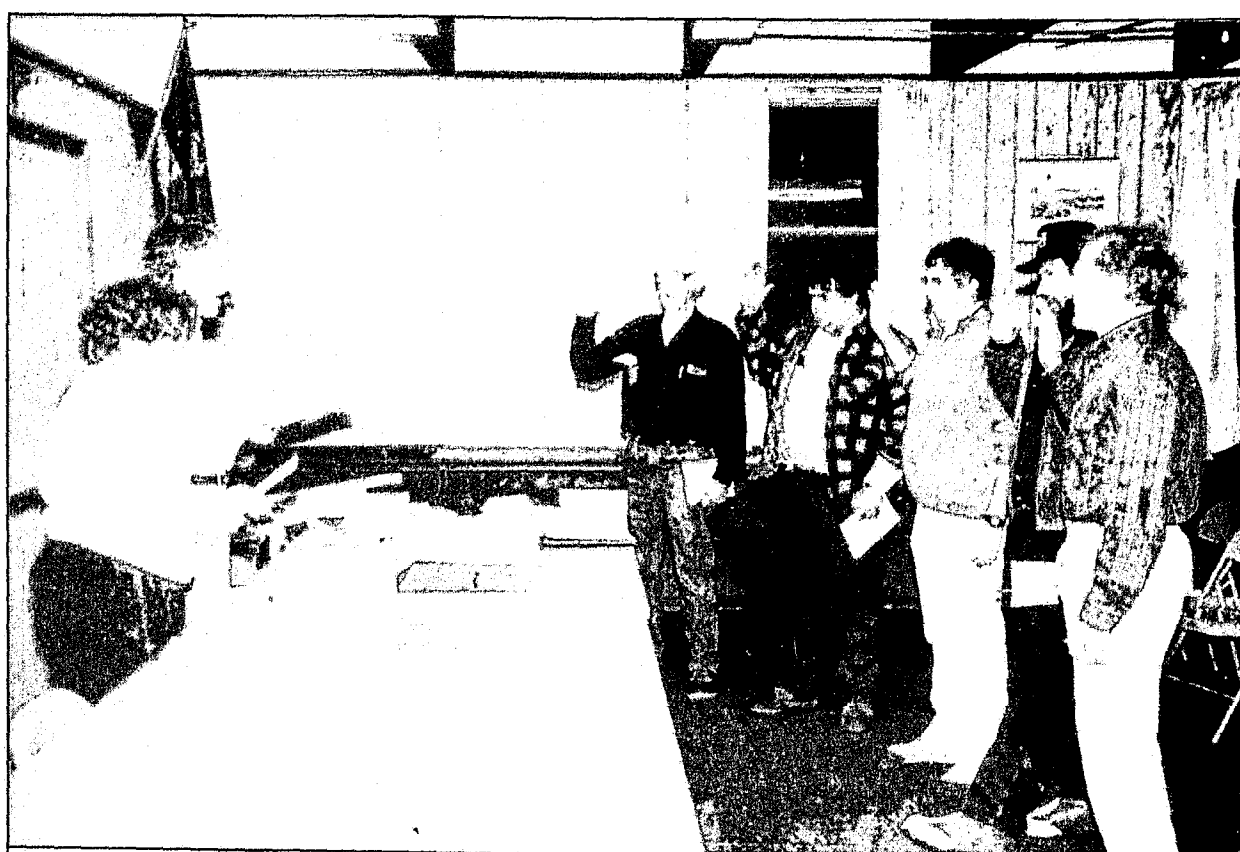
There is a growing problem at the recycling center with contamination of the property and the material by dogs. Our attendant asks that you not allow your animals out of your vehicle while you're at the center. Please keep in mind that this is his work area, and he must handle the materials. He cleans up after us now, don't make him also clean up after your pet. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Finally, I would like to say a word about the overreaction by some citizens to the road-posting policy recently adopted by the Board. Like almost every other town in Oxford County, Bethel has always posted roads in mud season. The selectmen are simply making the process legal

by adopting formal rules for what has been a common practice for years. While the Board voted to post all local roads, the posting is only in effect on a road, or section of road which actually has a poster at each end. The weight restriction only applies when the temperature is above 32 degrees Fahrenheit and there is visible thawing of the road surface. Several types of vehicles are exempt, and permits are available for those who can prove dire need. The state permits are also recognized by the town.

The road crew and police have been instructed to make no changes in their normal procedure of warning truckers off posted roads. However, if the hoopla which has now been created encourages some people to push the limits, please be aware that enforcement will ensue. If someone gets into trouble about this issue, it will only be because they asked for trouble. The best thing for heavy vehicle drivers to do, for the town and themselves, is to use good judgement before using a road. When in doubt about the status of a road, feel free to talk it over with the road foreman.

Madeleine E. Henley
Bethel Town Manager



THE MORE THINGS CHANGE... Newry voters reelected the town's entire slate of officers at last week's annual Town Meeting. Taking their oath, administered by Moderator Les Otten, are Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector Sylvia Gray, clockwise from left, Otten, Selectman Willard Wight, Road Commissioner Virgil Konkright, Selectman Steve Wight, Constable and Dog Officer Alan Fleet and Selectman Jim Sysko. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Letters to the editor

PROJECT GRADUATION

To the Editor:

The Project Graduation Committee has been meeting regularly. Fundraising is essential to our programs and currently raffle tickets are on sale for a VCR, at one dollar each. A karaoke dance party sponsored by OHHS, BHS, THS and the Army National Guard is being held at OHHS on April 9 from 8 to 12 p.m. for grades nine to 12. We need help selling tickets--please call Gail or Gary at 824-2497 or Lilian at 824-2269. Parents of the graduating class will soon be receiving a letter with all the details of our future plans. We appreciate your support.

Lillian Conant
Project Graduation Committee

POWER PLAY OR SCAM?

To the Editor:

This letter is more of a question than a comment. I need someone to explain the principle of conservation to me.

I recently got my electric bill from CMP and after chomping for a moment I wrote a check and then I read the little propaganda sheet that accompanied the bill. That sheet is what confused me.

It seems, according to CMP, that they have a surplus of power and they would like me to use more of it in order to get a rate reduction. That could be confusing, but I know they have a guaranteed profit set up. They state, and I quote, "And there's

no danger of running out of energy." They state that CMP is forced to dump some of the surplus power onto the New England power grid at a rate "below our cost," to use their words. CMP estimates they have enough power until around 2008.

I begin to get confused when I remember the big push to put a power line through Maine from Canada, because of the future needs. If we didn't do this our rates were going up because of a shortage. Well, it seems my rates went up, yet there's a surplus. I'm told if I use 10 percent more power my rates can go down by 5 percent. This seems totally opposite to my impression of conservation. I thought if we created a surplus the price would stay the same or drop, but in fact CMP recently got a rate increase.

They say they are selling surplus power below cost out of state, but if we increase usage our rates that were just increased can go down by 5 percent. For some reason, I feel as though I'm being set up for some future unexpected reason for a price hike and that I've already been misled by the power company as to the need for energy conservation. So would someone please explain to me how leaving on more lights, using more appliances and in general over-consuming electricity can be good and reduce my power bill?

While we're at it, I'd like to know why our lawmakers can't do anything about a system that allows the power company to sell power out of

state below cost while not reducing the rate here?

CMP is trying to tell us we'll get something for nothing. If we use more power it'll cost less. Most of the time if a deal seems too good to be true, it is. They aren't actually saying our monthly bill will be less, but that our rate will be lower because we'll be using more power, so perhaps our bills will actually increase slightly.

But if our bills actually do go down and we use more power, the key may be in the future. The company states a bill will be introduced into the legislature soon called "An Act to Minimize Electric Rates." I suggest our representatives look very closely at this bill and tell us what it means before they vote.

Remember as you consider using more power, that the company recently got permission for a rate hike which we are feeling now.

The one thing I do know about using more power is that the state will benefit by getting more tax revenue. On your power bill near the bottom it states a six percent sales tax will be levied on all power used above 750 kwh. So who benefits if we use more power?

It would truly be refreshing to get all the information presented honestly by a corporation or a politician before we are asked to make a decision. I don't know what CMP's scam is here, but I'll bet there is one, and I hope our elected officials can sort it out and explain it.

Carroll Murphy
Sweden

Third bobcat wanders in from the woods

By WENDY HANSCOM

The saga continues of hungry bobcats coming out of the woods in search of food.

The latest chapter, however, ends on a sad note.

Wednesday Sandra Wheeler of Newry reported to game wardens that a bobcat had been found lying on a snowbank beside Wheeler Road in Newry.

Wheeler said the wildcat seemed lethargic and let people very close to it before it headed into some nearby brush.

"He'd walk three or four feet and then lie down," she said. "He just went into some low brush and sat there for quite a while."

Thursday morning, Warden Donald Gray of Newry tracked the cat to a nearby lair dug in the snow under a tree. Wheeler said, "but the cat wasn't there."

An hour later Wheeler and neighbor Audrey Brook of Newry went to the burrow, taking along some

food. "We got out there and could just see his tail sticking out of the hole," Brooke said. "He didn't move, so we poked him a little with a stick. He still didn't move, so we put on some gloves and pulled him out. He was dead."

"He looked pathetic and exhausted the night before. When we picked him up the next day you could feel every bone in his body. He looked really young, but he didn't weigh more than 10 lbs. It's sad."

This was at least the third bobcat sighted near a residential area within two weeks.

In West Bethel a bobcat spent four days living under neighborhood barns and garages, before it was captured on Feb. 23 and transported out of the area. The bobcat had earlier killed a house cat in the village.

Later that day, Frank and Clarice Gibson of Northwest Bethel

reported that another bobcat had attacked their house cat. The pet was injured, but is now recovering. Clarice said the bobcat hasn't been spotted for over a week.

Paul Fornier, spokesman for the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Department, said Oxford County seems to be the only area reporting dead or starving bobcats so far.

"I did some checking around part of the state," Fornier said, "and this seems to be only that area that has a problem."

"The deep snow and cold weather make it hard for the cats to find food," he said. "They come out and hang around bird feeders and pick off an occasional house cat--whatever they can get. Sometimes these are older cats that don't hunt as well as they used to."

Fornier said Warden Gayland Brackett has also responded to bobcat complaints in Lovell and Rumford Point.

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purchased their stock when the bank went public in 1987--have expressed reservations about the proposed deal.

The objections center on allowing one individual to acquire control (even if only technically) over the bank, as well as on the price of the stock offered to Square Lake and the fact that the stock was not offered to other shareholders.

None of the local shareholders, however, were willing to speak on the record about their objections--although they claimed to have voted against the deal at the annual meeting.

Delamater defended the price (\$14 per share) of the proposed issuance as "a very good deal for the bank." And he argued that offering the stock to other shareholders would involve a formal stock offering, "and would

cost us a fortune in legal fees and underwriting costs."

The transaction is still awaiting regulatory approval. Only after that is received will Bancorp management determine if and when to go ahead with the sale, Delamater said.

The Maine Bureau of Banking will accept written comments on Square Lake's application until March 29. The address of the bureau is: State House Station 36, Augusta, ME 04333.

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Radios

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downs, accidents or information concerning changes in student pickup and drop-off locations.

Superintendent Dewaine Craig told the board the new radio system will be included in the proposed FY '94 as a lease/purchase plan. The district would play an estimated \$11,775 a year for four years for the system.

MEA scores mistalled

Telstar Middle School Principal Bruce Bell told the school board that the district's recent eighth-grade Maine Education Assessment tests results are inaccurate.

Bell said the state failed to include the results of 10 special needs students who took the test.

The state will reissue the test results, which should be back within a few weeks, Bell said.

THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

Dr. Joseph DeMarco of the Bethel Chiropractic Health Center on Main Street was the featured speaker at the March meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House Thursday evening. Dr. DeMarco, a Boston native, holds a B.S. in exercise physiology from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst and his D.C. from Palmer College in Davenport, Iowa. He described the history of chiropractic health care beginning with the eccentric Daniel David Palmer (1845 - 1913), the discover of chiropractic, which focuses on spinal disorders as the cause for back pain and discomfort and/or numbness in extremities. His son Bartlett Joshua Palmer (1881 - 1961) developed his father's theories and founded Palmer College. Through the years chiropractic (meaning done with the hands) has grown in prestige and acceptance by health professionals.

Prior to introducing Dr. DeMarco, Society Director Stanley R. Howe provided information on Bethel's chiropractors. As far as can be determined, the first chiropractor in Bethel was Dr. Rowena Goodwin, who in 1922 was practicing at the Maple Inn (now the Sudbury); later her practice was moved to Mechanic Street. In 1924 Hazel Joy Arno was carrying on a chiropractic practice at the Harry Jordan residence on Main Street. By 1926 Howard E. Tyler was advertising his chiropractic practice based on Chapman Street; later he moved to Church Street. He continued to advertise in the Bethel Citizen until 1942. In 1935, Dr. W. L. Cutler of Portland was advertising as a registered chiropractor and physio-therapist. Patients were seen at the home of Elizabeth Griffin on Main Street (now Mother's Restaurant). No chiropractors were practicing in Bethel for more than 30 years until Dr. Steve Garbarini arrived in Bethel in 1976 and practiced at his Paradise residence until 1978 at which time he moved to Rumford. In 1991 Dr. David Smith established the Bethel Chiropractic Health Center on Main Street. He was succeeded by the present chiropractor, Dr. Joseph DeMarco in 1992. Society Director Howe closed his remarks by requesting further information on Bethel's chiropractors. Anyone having such information was invited to contact the Society at (207) 824-2908 or write P. O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

During the business portion of the meeting, President Jane Hosterman thanked all those who made Heritage Day a success. She also announced that the next meeting would be held on April 1 and feature a presentation by Dr. Lowell E. Barnes of Hiram, titled "Some Sunday River Stories." President Hosterman also brought to the attention of those present that the Maine Historical Society would be holding a special symposium on life in the 18th century on March 20. Professor James Leamon of Bates College will be mailing the keynote address and the publication of his new book "Revolution Downeast: The War For American Independence in Maine" will be celebrated. Other scholars participating are Steven C. Eames of St. Anselm's College, Bruce Bourque of the Maine State Museum, Emerson H. Baker II of the Dyer Library/York Institute Museum, Earle G. Shelleworth, Jr. of the Maine Historic Preservation Commission and Laura F. Sprague of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art. Admission is free and those interested in attending were urged to register. Flyers describing the event are available at the Dr. Moses Mason House.

Following the program Special Projects Committee chair Persis Post announced the refreshments for the evening in honor of the month of March. In honor of St. David's Day welch chesecake was served; for St. Patrick's Day, Irish soda bread and roasted potatoes and dip were featured as well.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Through a grant from the Bingham Betterment Fund, the Bethel Library was able to undertake an extensive renovation of the building. Eric Hastings represented the University of New

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gets. Those services might include three meals a day or 24-hour on-site medical staff.

If the Bethel project gets off the ground, the committee is committed to keeping the cost of living there as low as possible, Bass said.

The committee would like to hear from anyone interested in its work or residing at an assisted living center, Bass said.

The Community Retirement Living Committee meets the first Friday of the month at the Bethel Area Health Center. The meeting is open to the public.

Air Force compron

Fewer low-l

By MICHAEL DANIELS

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Air Force signs off on ANG's compromise overflight plan

Fewer low-level local flights are likely

By MICHAEL DANIELS
The Department of the Air Force has formally approved a compromise plan for expanding Air National Guard (ANG) training flights over northern New England.

Locally, the plan is likely to mean fewer, rather than more, low-level military overflights.

In July of 1991 the ANG proposed a major revamping of its training routes and areas in much of the Northeast. The changes were necessary, the ANG claimed, in order to accommodate the training needs of new squadrons of F-16s based in southern New England.

The proposal called for lowering the minimum altitude, or "floor" at which the planes could operate, and for significantly increasing the number of training missions.

The plan, however, immediately drew fire from area residents concerned about the aesthetic, environmental and economic impact of the flights.

Others, especially those who live under existing low-level routes, complained of the ANG's alleged lack of enforcement of its existing regulations.

The plan was also attacked by the Maine's Congressional delegation.

Following a series of public hearings, the ANG in October of last year offered a compromise plan that cut back severely on both the projected number of flights and raised the altitude at which most of

the flights would be flown.

The compromise—which was applauded by the congressional delegation—calls the floor in the Condon Military Operations Area (MOA), which overlies much of western Maine, to be lowered 300 feet, but only 33 percent of "typical missions" would be flown below 2,000 feet, and only "a very small percentage" would take place below 1,000 feet.

The number of annual flights in the 200-square-mile MOA would be limited to just over 2,000, and low altitude missions would be minimized from June 15 to Labor Day. During the fall foliage season, flights would be kept above 2,000 feet.

The compromise plan also calls for eliminating a number of 10-mile-wide trunk routes, in which military planes were allowed to operate down to tree-top level.

One of those routes, VFR-840-841-842, passes over Locke Mills village, East Bethel and the Ellis River Valley and accounts for much of the low level military activity in this area.

A number of other restrictions also apply to the flights, and the ANG has agreed to maintain a toll-free telephone number to give residents a means to ask questions and lodge complaints about the flights, as well as to report violations of the new rules. The toll-free number is 1-800-241-3005.

Moses

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Hampshire at the NCAA Ski Championships in Bozeman, Mont. Birth: Alex Johnson. Marriage: Roberta Gilbert and Dr. Wenceslao Perez. Deaths: Elsie Ames, Katherine Wight.

20 years ago: Bradley Barker was elected for the two-year vacancy on the Bethel Board of Selectmen; Samuel H. Timberlake was elected unopposed to the three-year term. Donald and Virginia Walker were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary at a party at the home of Richard and Diane Walker. Evergreen Valley was officially opened. Ann Marie Rolfe and Glenn

Carver were crowned Queen and King respectively at Telstar Regional High School's Winter Carnival. Births: Alisha James, Walter Smith, Octavia Poole, Sunshine Sessions.

30 years ago: Kathy Kittridge was a semi-finalist on Channel 6's Youth Cavalcade. Richard Davis and Norman Greig were elected as Bethel Selectmen; Eugene Buswell and Harold Rolfe were selected as Assessors. Second Lt. Nelson Durgin graduated from the U.S. Air Force instructor training course at Sheppard Air Force Base in Texas. Death: Clyde Riley.

40 years ago: James Browne purchased the former E. E. Whitney home on Railroad Street (now the site of the Bethel Health Center). Leon and Ruth Wilson sold Bear River Tea Room and Cabins and moved to Mayville. It was voted to extend the hydrant service to the last house in Corporation territory could be reached on Vernon Street. Deaths: Clarence Annis, Fred Goodnow, Edward Brown.

50 years ago: Bethel's quota for Red Cross National drive was upped to \$1,460. Freeman Merrill's home in East Bethel was destroyed by fire. Marriages: Dorothy Vivian and Arthur Bennett; Ina Ellingwood and Rupert Grover. Deaths: Alfred Hobbs, Leona Anderson.

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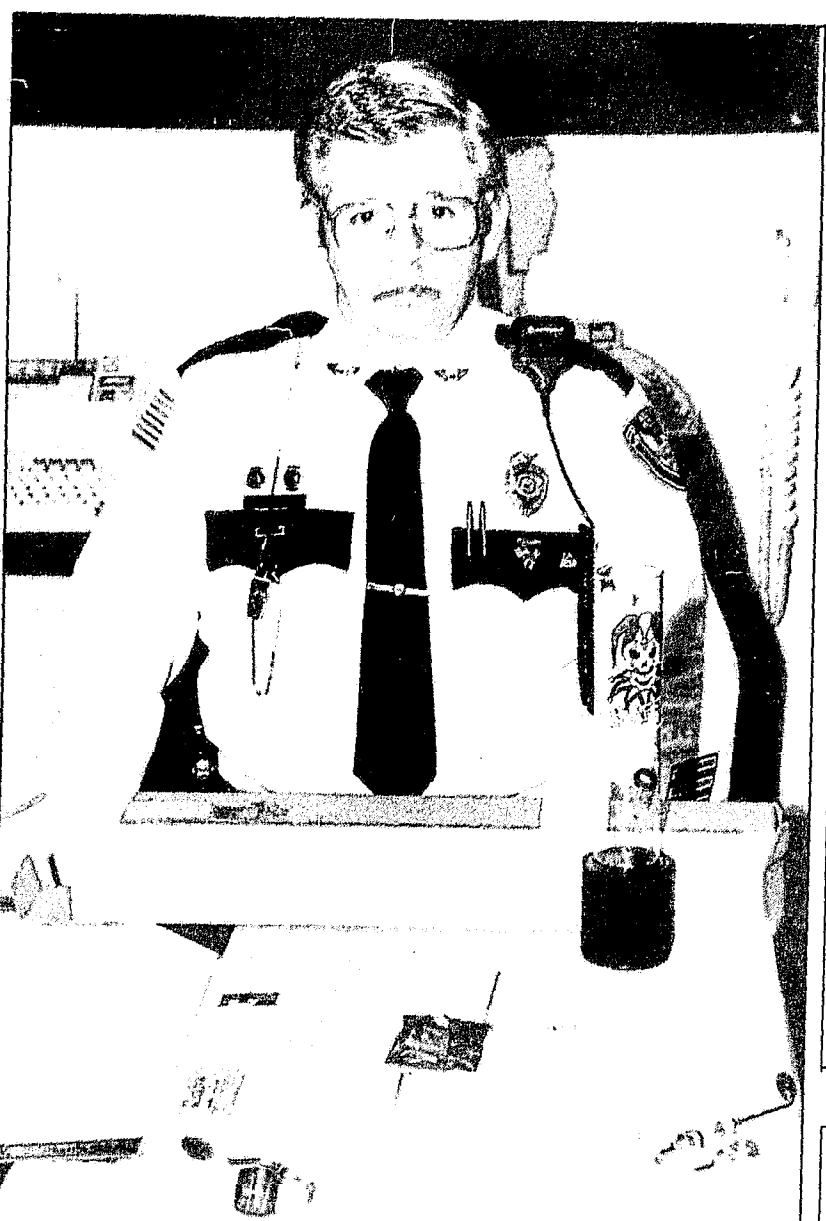
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PARAPHERNALIA—Bethel Chief of Police Dale Bellman summoned two 19-year-old men last week for possession of a usable amount of marijuana and/or possession of drug paraphernalia. The assorted drug works included a "water bong," two pipes, screens, rolling papers and a small set of scales. Bellman said he is not releasing the men's names, because he hopes the case will result in more drug-related charges.
(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

West Paris youth stabbed at home by two intruders

By JOHN VINCENT

A 16-year-old West Paris boy was accosted in his front door Wednesday night by two unidentified men who cut him with a knife and ran off, Capt. James Miclon of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department said Thursday.

The boy heard his dog barking a lot at about 7:30 p.m. and went to the front door of the house on Stearns Hill Road to see what the dog was barking at, Miclon said. Upon opening the door, he saw two males with their faces concealed right outside the door. The men entered the house and there was a fight and the boy received a slight scrape wound on his upper arm from a knife one of the men had, Miclon noted.

"They were in the house no more than two minutes. There was nothing said, nothing taken. The two men fled on foot," Miclon said. The boy was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital where he was treated and released, Miclon said.

"We are looking for anyone who may have been on Stearns Hill Road from 6 to 8 p.m. If they saw anything they should contact us," Miclon added.

A similar incident occurred Feb. 14 in Greenwood when Douglas D. Garthe, 30, was attacked between 7 and 8 p.m. by two masked men with guns and a knife, state police reported at the time. The two suspects knocked on the door and when Garthe opened it they struck him with their fists and inflicted superficial lacerations to his chest, according to Trooper Don Shead. Police searched the area on Hayes Hill Road but did not find the two males.

American Heart Association

From the Bethel Police log:

Boozing tip leads to drug bust; Buick burns on Chandler Hill

Wednesday night a Bethel Park Apartments resident reported juveniles drinking alcohol in an apartment at the complex. Police asked for a description of any vehicles at the apartment and headed for the scene. On the way to the complex, police pulled over a vehicle on Broad that matched the description of one of the vehicles.

Bethel Chief of Police Dale Bellman summoned two 19-year-olds, one of Bethel and the other of Locke Mills, for possession of marijuana and/or drug paraphernalia including a "water bong," two pipes, rolling papers, screens and a small set of scales. Bellman said the case is still under investigation and his not releasing the men's names. Police said no juveniles were consuming alcohol as the caller had reported.

Early Sunday morning, Mary Ellen Chapman of Chandler Hill reported that her vehicle was on fire. When police arrived at Chandler Hill the vehicle was fully engulfed in flames. The Bethel Fire Department also responded to the scene. Fire completely destroyed the vehicle, which police left on the road overnight to cool off before being towed, the report stated.

In other police news last week, Thursday, the Rumford Police Department asked Bethel Police to arrest Scott Morrison, 19, of Rumford for gross sexual contact. Police arrested Morrison at the Sunday River Brewing Company and transported him to the Oxford County Jail.

Friday night, an employee at The Sud's Pub reported a fight in the parking lot. The fight broke up before police arrived.

Later Friday night, police arrested Cheryl L. Redman, 31, of Bethel for criminal trespass. Police reported she refused to leave Gregory S. Mills of Bethel's apartment.

Shortly after 1 a.m. Sunday morning a Big Apple employee reported she had refused to sell someone beer after the 1 a.m. deadline. The clerk reported the man put some money on the counter and took a six-pack of beer with him. Police say they later summoned Louie R. Berube, 31, of Tewksbury, Mass. for theft.

Public Notice

The United States Air Force has issued the Record of Decision on the proposed aircraft conversions at Bradley ANGB (CT) and Barnes ANGB (MA), and the special use airspace in ME, NY, NJ, PA, NH, and VT.

The Record of Decision can be reviewed in its entirety at public libraries in the following Maine communities:

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New Head Start classroom open

West Bethel Children's Center/Community Concepts has opened an additional Head Start classroom earlier this February, bringing a total of eight classrooms in Oxford County. The classroom at the Norway Children's Center will allow 14 additional preschoolers and their families to participate in Head Start, a comprehensive preschool program.

And, if President Clinton has his way, Community Concepts will be opening other Head Start classrooms in Oxford County in the near future. Head Start is heralded by President Clinton as a success story and he has proposed major increases for the program. Head Start is a federal and state-funded program that provides lower income families with preschool education, nutrition, health and social services.

If Head Start continues to expand, Community Concepts' long-range plan includes additional Head Start classrooms and home-based Head Start. According to Deborah Laurent, director of Children's Services at Community Concepts, there are over 36 low-income preschoolers eligible for Head Start in the Bethel area, but not able to attend. The West Bethel Children's Center provides Head Start services to 17 area families and 143 county-wide.

Laurent said Head Start is the only federal program that simultaneously helps low-income preschool children get ready for

school, stay healthy by providing immunizations and regular health check-ups and treatment, and receive nutritious meals. It also helps their parents become active participants in their children's learning as well as work towards family self-sufficiency. It is unique in that it is community-based and has the flexibility to meet a wide range of child and family needs.

Head Start has a significant effect on children's school performance, according to Laurent. Children enrolled in Head Start have significant immediate gains in cognitive test scores, socioemotional test scores, and health status. Studies have also found that Head Start children are more likely to be promoted to the next grade and are less likely to be assigned to special education classes.

Community Concepts has operated Head Start since the program's inception in 1965. A nonprofit community action agency with an all-volunteer Board of Directors, Community Concepts provides day care services, housing services, transportation and social services in addition to Head Start.

"For 27 years Community Concepts has had to turn families away who wanted Head Start for their children," said Laurent.

Head Start is recruiting for the Sept. 1993 school year. Call the West Bethel Children's Center at 836-3700 for an application.



SCOUT BANQUET—Cub Scout Pack 133 recently held its Blue and Gold Banquet at the Woodstock Elementary School. Participating in the cake decorating project were, front row: Alan Brown, left, Joe Cox, Paul Cox, Jr., and Orin Hayes. Back row: Owen Brown, Paul Cox and Tina Hayes.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

In my childhood the postman seemed to be the most entirely enviable and likable creature on earth. Even today and over the years we fully appreciate the meaning of the R.F.D. box on the country road several miles from the village. No one who lives in the cities, where the uniformed man trudges up to the door and deposits the mail can fully appreciate the meaning of the R.F.D. box or the carrier.

Some day a historian will write a chronicle of country living in terms of R.F.D. boxes, like exclamation points, are found all along hundreds of miles of roads.

This postman brings bad news, good news, and indifferent news, but we remember him only by the good he does. Like a sundial he records only the sunny hours. He is the hope that springs eternal in the human breast. He comes probably with a handful of bills and other things you would be pleased to do without. But that never affects your faith in him.

There are some R.F.D. boxes that will hold a half bushel of papers, magazines and mail-order catalogues. These boxes sit on posts and many display the name of the owner and the number of the box. Some vary in shape but the real genuine honest-to-goodness R.F.D. box is the humble everyday sort of affair. It is regular with a curved top to shed rain and sleet. It has a metal flag that is put up to tell the mailman a letter is waiting for him. Through such boxes have passed

some of the heartbeats of the nation. Those far from home write letters to family; so this R.F.D. box sitting beside the country road is a link in the chain that binds a nation into one people.

Our mailman is truly our friend and no day is complete without him.

On Wednesday Dorothy Betts and I had a fun day with retired teachers Louvie Coffin, Dorothy Rose, Lettie Brooks and Doris Slattery. We had lunch in Norway and spent the afternoon with Louvie.

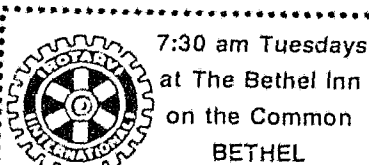
Today, the end of February, Robert Holt and daughter of Windsor, David and Ann Holt had dinner with Fay and Leonas Holt. Mary was ill, so she and her mother, Sally, could not be with us.

This week the men have been busy with shoveling snow from roofs, a lot to shovel, too.

Friday evening I had dinner with Milton and Eleanor Inman in So. Paris. I enjoyed it.

My cactus plants are in bloom; an orange, a red, a pink and a white one. They are especially welcome with all the snow outside.

It's interesting to see John Betts go to town, sitting beside him in the front seat is his dog and in the back sit two others. Such a picture is seldom seen. They ride like kings on a throne.



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Elderwood Manor

By FLORENCE HALL

Gertrude Hutchins and Anne Fox went on the bus to Rumford on Wednesday.

Louise Powell, Hale, and Bernice Wing, Dixfield, visited Alma Hewey on Thursday.

Elizabeth Sennett and daughter Charlotte Hayes called on Gertrude Hutchins, Anne Fox and Norman and Julie White while in town recently.

Stacy Thompson, Rumford, took Aunt Florence Hall to Rumford for a doctor's appointment on Tuesday.

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Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

The Historical Society notes there are many lectures and educational opportunities offered around the state for historical society members this year. Many are announced at the meetings. Next meeting will be on Saturday, Mar. 13 at 7 p.m. Irene Mills will show her dolls and antique toys.

Franklin Grange will meet on Monday, Mar. 15. The program will be on Legislative and Agriculture.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Mar. 17 at the Town Annex. The meeting will start at 1 p.m. The program will be on Simplifying Complex Carbohydrates with Wendy Legg Pollock.

The Woodstock Firemen held an oyster stew supper before their meeting on Wednesday.

Jo Ann, David, Ray, and Shawn Crockett were Sunday dinner guests

of her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt and Beatrice Farnum.

Leatrice Chase called on her mother, Beatrice Farnum, one day last week.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have been grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jordan, Stratham, N.H., and Debbie Millett, Oxford and children, Harriett Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan.

The Historical Society finds out many interesting things about the past. It also has some fascinating antique exhibits and a lot of research material.

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Andover

By KAREN McKAY

Tickets for the Snow Valley Sno Goers' corned beef with cabbage dinner and ride-in are available at local stores. Tickets for the March 13, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., dinner are available in advance only.

Parents of prospective kindergarten students for the 1993-94 school year (age 5 on or before Oct. 15, 1993) should contact the Andover school at 392-4381 to receive the initial registration form for enrollment.

Skiers take note—the next SAD 44 Community Ski Free Day at Sunday River Ski Area will be on Friday, March 19.

Rob and Jen Dixon have moved back to Maine from San Diego, Calif. They are both employed by Swift Shore Communications, an East Coast based company. Rob is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dixon.

Charlie Thurston of Brandon, Vt. was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Swan. Charlie rode his snow machine round trip from Brandon to Andover.

Sympathy is extended to the Jodrey family for the death of Alice, a lifelong resident of the community.

this past week—as the car came up Hudson Hill last Thursday evening with the brake lights on and just below Clayton Crockett's the whole system, lights and all, quit. It is not a pleasant sensation to be on a busy main highway with no lights and no power. John managed to bring the car to the side of the road and got it stopped. I walked back to Clayton's where they kindly let me use the phone and a bit later the car was at Gaudreau's and Crystal Lake had come and taken us home. Debbie and Owen Brown kindly loaned us their truck so we could get to church and to the annual church meeting on Sunday, and Crystal took me to the Women's Ministries meeting Sunday evening. On Monday we took the truck to Norway where both John and I had appointments at Stephens Memorial Hospital early in the morning and then we came home and went back at 11 a.m. for another appointment not wanting to spend two hours in Norway waiting. By five o'clock the starter which had blown on our car had been rebuilt, so we went and got that. All in all it was a rather hectic several days.

Donna Downs came Tuesday afternoon and picked up Lorraine Mills and we went to see her mother, Elvira Littlehale, who is failing rapidly at the Market Square Health Facility. Donna had to get right back to Pembroke, N.H., because her husband Ted is out of the hospital and is recuperating at home from his cancer surgery. He is doing very well, by the way, which is good news indeed.

Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

An open house for former residents Mary and Maynard Hazelton of Calif. and Joy Fuller Harding of Colo. will be held at the Town Hall at Locke Mills on Sunday, Mar. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. Friends are invited to attend.

The Greenwood Town meeting will be held at the Town Hall on Saturday, Mar. 13, beginning at 10 a.m. The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary will serve dinner at noon.

Ralph Mills came Thursday and spent the night with his parents John and Lorraine Mills. He needed to get the roofs shoveled at his camp and wanted to beat the storm coming in on Friday.

The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary met the last Monday in February with Denise Swan, Mary Stone, Lorraine Mills, Sally Melville, Barbara Dunham and Cheryl Young present. Solicitation lists were revised and the town meeting dinner planned.

We had a rather hectic few days

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Chris Downes from New Hampshire was in town one day last week shampooing rugs for prospective customers and demonstrating the Kirby Cleaner. It is amazing what that machine will do.

Grace Nelson is home from the hospital and Carolyn Heino took her to her doctor's on Thursday for a check-up.

Violet Doughty is at the Market Square Nursing Home in South Paris. She was a former resident of East Stoneham.

Minnehaha Temple 53 met on Feb. 19 with nine members present. All

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Greenwood

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on the easterly side of Twitchell Pond. Morey has offered \$15,000 for the land, which abuts another parcel of his and which both he and the town have claimed for a number of years.

Constance Roberge is also asking voters to allow her to buy back a piece of property which was acquired by the town for back taxes.

Roberge has agreed to pay the town's legal fees of \$1,624 and all back taxes, interest and cost on the property. A garage, which Bartlett said was illegally constructed on the property, will also be removed. Roberge also agrees to dismiss a lawsuit against the town.

Voters passed a similar article

estimated cost of \$2,000 per year and the reconstruction and paving of 1.4 miles of road in the village at a cost of \$150,000. Sawyers has also requested six stop or yield signs at an estimated cost of \$300 and 12 speed limit signs at \$600.

Last year voters turned down Sawyer's request for seven streetlights after he asked that the article be defeated. He said village residents had decided to withdraw the request after the selectmen recommended that only three streetlights should be installed.

Property decisions

Voters will also be asked to allow the selectmen to quit claim to Bruce A. Morey less than an acre of land

the fund balance to offset tax increases.

Townpeople will also vote on whether or not to move Town Meeting from the second Saturday of the month to the last Saturday of the month.

Bartlett said moving Town Meeting the last Saturday of the month will give selectmen more time to prepare the municipal budget.

Ski village lights, paving

Heywood Sawyer of Mt. Abram Village is once again asking voters to approve streetlights in the village.

Last year Sawyer asked for seven new streetlights. This year he is asking for ten street lights at an

regarding the Roberge property at last year's Town Meeting, Bartlett said, but the necessary taxes, fines and fees were not paid by the required deadline.

Elections

Voters will also elect a tax collector, town clerk, treasurer and registrar of voters, a selectman and SAD 44 school board director to a three-year term and a road commissioner.

Incumbents Phyllis Coolidge, Marie Bartlett, Raymond Harrington and Alan Seames, respectively, are all planning to seek reelection. Other possible candidates may be nominated from the floor.

North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

Tuesday, Mar. 2, 12 West Paris Senior Citizens went to the Bullring Steak House for luncheon.

Tuesday, Mar. 2, Charlotte brought me a loaf of homemade bread. It was delicious. She had been to Norway Nursing Home playing and singing to the elderly, especially to Verna Swan. She visited quite a spell and I really enjoyed her and the bread.

Thursday, Mar. 4, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Mass. to bring his sister Fannie Whitten for a few weeks' visit.

Thursday, Mar. 4 Laura Heikkinen brought me a big sauce dish of bread pudding. It was delicious. She visited a while. She is working at Whitman's Market at Trap Corner.

My brother James Coffin and Jimbo Coffin came visiting, said he was feeling better today.

Sherry Thayer and Jason, Herman and Thelma Card, Richard Fell, Charlotte Cole also visited. Joe Vatcher brought a big bowl of chowder. It was delicious, Madge.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Leon "Bud" Hadley.

It is predicted we have quite a storm coming our way.

We have had a few gorgeous days this past week.

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Peggy Lamb and John Beane of Palermo and Wendy Lamb of Portland spent the day on Saturday with Newton and Joyce Lamb. And surprise visitors were son Allen Lamb and friend Chris from Santa Fe, N.M. They had been on business in Mass.

Virginia Aridas of Holbrook, N.Y. has been spending several days this week with her parents Vernon and Miriam Inman.

Dick and Carolyn Snow of Bath spent the past weekend with Gordon and Sally Doughty.

The Historical Society will meet on Monday, Mar. 15 for a 6 p.m. potluck supper. Ida and Howard Gurney are in charge. Following the meeting Gary Inman will provide the entertainment.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Annie Laughton of Columbia was a Thursday guest of Laurie Brown. The girls, Ben, Roland and I went to Bethel for my therapy and on to Lovell to visit Penny Bernier and deliver a log cabin quilt that Laurie constructed.

Backstreet has been in poor condition as it was not repaired after a major washout last spring. For the past few weeks a frozen culvert has made traveling hazardous. A pickup truck belonging to one of the woodsmen working in the area was stuck in the cavity made by the water running around and over the culvert instead of through it.

The weather has been at its mid-winter best with sunshine, warmth and calm but has turned "Marchy."

Our sincere congratulations to Jerry Gelling and Amy Conati for their recent marriage. Father Belle performed the ceremony on February 27 in the St. Pius Church in Errol with Amy's sister, Lisa Lambert as matron of honor. Mark Lambert of Schenectady, N.Y. and husband of Lisa stood with Jerry as best man.

Bill Wood was isolated in his home for more than a week as the February storms had piled in too fast for the plow to take care of. Bob Brown was able to clear the road with a farm tractor and bucket loader. A dog and parrot are good company but almost any human face would be a welcome sight after so long a time.

John and Avis Arata were in town to shovel the roof of their camp recently. Most roofs appear to be in no danger of blowing away.

We went to South Paris Thursday and basked in the splendor of trees covered with great dollops of snow pudding. Thick icicles hang down below the window sill level and the sun's rays across the fields give a high gloss to the white surface. For those who fled this beauty for snakes and high crime I say, "I hope the oranges are sweeter."

Andover

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the selectmen were going to be covered by liability insurance. He said that he read newspaper accounts that the selectmen didn't have any liability insurance, and he wanted to know if that was going to be corrected.

Mills said the selectmen hadn't received any insurance quotes yet and so they couldn't have an article ready for the town meeting. Legault said that there probably is enough money in the account to cover a new liability insurance package.

On the appeals ordinance, planning board chairman Mark Burlamachi said that the town's appeals board wasn't backed up by an ordinance making it "illegal" in the eyes of the state. Burlamachi said he talked with Maine Municipal Association consultants to confirm the fact an ordinance was needed and that the planning board worked with the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments to write the ordinance. Burlamachi said that it was a standard ordinance used in many towns in the state.

The appeals board ordinance was amended to make it a requirement to tape record as well as take minutes of the meetings. In a

related article, the voters authorized the selectmen to set the compensation of the appeals board members without any specified amount. Burlamachi recommended \$15 a meeting, the same amount paid to planning board members. Selectman chairman Brian Mills said that the selectmen would approve an appropriate compensation for the appeals board.

On the recommendation of the voters, the article containing the budget for the appeals board had been postponed until the ordinance itself was approved. Legault brought up the budget at this point. Burlamachi said that a \$1,000 budget would be better for the appeals board since that board "would have at least three meetings per year," and training sessions would cost about \$20 each per session.

Noting that the budget committee recommended just \$200 for the appeal board, Budget Committee member Ed Witt said the appeals board would have fees as part of their budget, too.

Witt said \$600 "would go a long ways" for the Budget Committee,

noting there were only two potential appeals in five years. Schachter made a motion to give the appeals board a \$1,000 budget, but that motion had little support.

Fred Emerson's motion for a \$600 budget was passed by a large majority. One citizen raised a point of order at this point asking how the same article could be voted on twice, and town clerk Phyllis Spaulding agreed with Schachter that the motion was presented as an amendment. Legault allowed the vote on the \$600 budget as an amendment to the main motion.

According to several voters at the meeting, the fire department budget always meets some opposition at town meeting time. Although the fire department had requested \$26,500 under their budget account, fire chief Ken Dixon seconded the motion to approve the \$21,500 recommended by the selectmen and budget committee.

While the fire department had initial success in the \$6,800 requested for the Laradall Defibrillator for the Andover Fire and Rescue Department and the \$1,040 for the Hepatitis-B vaccinations for

Emergency Medical Technicians, two other requests totaling \$5,200 were denied by the voters.

The voters went against the selectmen and budget committee recommendation of \$2,800 for a starter set of rescue air bags which can lift cars involved in accidents. In the only counted vote, the rescue air bags lost by 25 for, to 27 against. The \$2,400 request for improving four breathing apparatuses was denied by twice as many who voted for it. Voters seem to agree with Dick Merrill that the 10 existing units were adequate to fight fires. Dixon said that more breathing units were needed in case there was a large fire in the town.

Merrill said that the fire department's budget and requests in other articles were too much for a town the size of Andover. He said that he knows the saying that one life saved is worth the money spent, but he doubted that many towns the size of Andover spend the same amount of money on the fire department.

The selectmen were given permission to propose a mandatory recycling program when the state makes the town close the town dump.

Elections

Voters also reelected Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collection Dian Stimson and Selectman Howard Gurney.

Townpeople also elected Joe Makley as a SAD 17 school director for three years and Rick Bradeen as Water District director.

Agnes Gray School teacher Terri Merrill served as moderator.

whether or not the annual warrant should list the original requests of service organizations.

This year, as in past years, just the selectmen's recommendations were listed. On the warrant the selectmen recommended that all service groups be funded at last year's level, despite requests for higher amounts.

Selectmen said they would consider the request.

West Paris

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Main Street as it passed through the village.

Charlie Coffin said since Route 219 is a state road, the state should pay all construction costs.

Selectman Howard Gurney replied that the town's share of \$75,000 for the \$1 million project will cover the cost of replacing or repairing sidewalks and any other town-related expenses.

Voters also approved \$1,000 for perpetual care at the Wayside Cemetery despite the objections of selectmen and the budget committee.

Phelps Poland said he thought in the past the town had paid \$200 a year automatically to the cemetery.

Selectman Wade Gurney acknowledged the past practice, but said selectmen could not find any previous Town Meeting article that covered automatic payment to the

cemetery and the bill had gone unpaid from 1987 to 1991. The town paid \$200 last year, he said.

The selectmen and budget committee recommended not paying the \$1,000, but voters approved the expenditure.

Voters also approved \$50,000 to operate the transfer station, \$44,000 for winter road maintenance, \$33,000 for tarring roads, \$32,000 for highways and bridges, \$30,000 for town officer's salaries, \$1,460 for the Oxford Hills Area Development Council.

Voters also asked selectmen to place an article on the town warrant next year, calling for a vote on

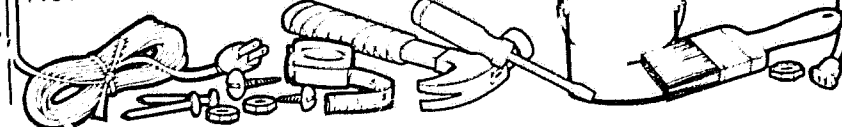
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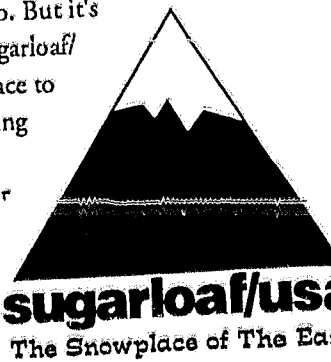
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(6)	Teach the	Roseann
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	
(11)	Sportsctr.	College
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(13)	Entertain.	Edison
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(18)	"The Toy" Cont'd	
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(32)	Gimme B.	Fish
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SATURDAY

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(3)	Golden G
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(6)	Grizzly Adam
(8)	Fortune
(10)	Peter Paul &
(11)	Basketball
(12)	Texas Conn
(13)	Untouchable
(14)	Basebal
(15)	Almost an
(17)	Movie - The
(18)	Doc Holly
(20)	College Ho
(21)	The Last F
(22)	WCW Satur
(24)	Doug
(25)	Citizen Ka
(26)	Matrix
(27)	Travelques
(32)	Gimme B.
(34)	Runaway
(39)	Capital

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	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "The Bingo Long Traveling All-Stars and Motor Kings"	Hogan	Cheers	H'mooner				
(3)	Waltons	Young Riders	Fats Domino & Friends	700 Club	Scarecr.-King					
(5)	Teach the Roseanne	Cheers	Wings	Cheers	Seinfeld	Crime & Punishment	News			
(6)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Boss?	Golden G.	Billy Graham Crusade	Primetime Live	News	Nightline		
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	MaineWatch	Mystery!	Bradshaw and the Family			Ch. Rose			
(10)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: ACC Tournament	College Basketball: Atlantic 10 Champ.				Sportsctr.			
(11)	Video Prime	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	On Stage	Club Dance					
(12)	Entertain.	Edison	Top Cops	Street Stories	Knots Landing	News				
(13)	Basketball	10th Frame	Larry Bird's Retirement Ceremony	Sprts Med	Winston Cup Special					
(14)	Movie: "Edward Scissorhands"	Movie: "Hired to Kill"	Comedy	"I Come in Peace"						
(15)	Movie: "Dark Horse" Cont'd	Movie: "White Fang"	Almost Human	Conquest-Apes						
(17)	"The Toy" Cont'd	Movie: "To Kill For"	Movie: "Hot Under the Collar"	Movie: "Poltergeist III"						
(18)	Bruins	NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins	Major Indoor Lacrosse							
(20)	Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: "Liberace"	Thirtysomething						
(21)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Lonesome Dove	Movie: "Two Mules for Sister Sara"						
(22)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop
(24)	Movie: "The Buccaneer"	Movie: "One Hour With You"	MacGyver							
(25)	Quantum Leap	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "The Accused"	Evening at the Improv						
(26)	In Search Of...	Real West	Wildlife Mysteries	Brute Force: Weapons	Sts. of Frisco					
(27)	Gimme B.	Fish	Simon & Simon	Barnaby Jones	News					
(32)	Design. W.	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Miami Heat	News	Night Court	Highlander					
(34)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News					
(39)										

SUNDAY EVENING MARCH 14, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) Scalawag	Cont'd	Movie: "Tough Guys"	Manager	Hogan	Sports	Arms-Love			
(5)	Mansion	Rin Tin Tin	Skies	Stallion	Scott Ross: Street Talk	In Touch	Ben Haden	Ankerberg		
(6)	Figure Skating: Dance	Witness Video	Movie: "Kuffs"				News	Sports		
(8)	Videos	Funnies	Day One	Movie: "Lies and Lullabies"			News	Emer. Call		
(10)	Austin City Limits	Victor Borge: Then & Now	Bradshaw-Fam.	Story of Gilbert						
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball	Horse R.	Boxing: Bramble vs. Mayweather			Sportscenter			
(12)	American Sports Cavalcade	Raceday	Fishin'	Bassmaster	Outdoors	Road Test	Trucks			
(13)	60 Minutes	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "Men Don't Tell"				News			
(14)	Hockey	Pregame	NBA Basketball: Charlotte Hornets at Boston Celtics	Horse R.	Th. breds	Hockey				
(15)	Empire Strikes	Movie: "Radio Flyer"	Movie: "White Men Can't Jump"							
(17)	Movie: "Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo"	Legends of Comedy	Movie: "Waiting for the Light"							
(18)	"Delirious" Cont'd	Movie: "Blackbelt"	College Wrestling: Big Ten Championship							
(20)	College Wrestling: Big Eight Championship									
(21)	Physicians	Milestones	Journal	Family	Cardiology	Medicine	Ob/Gyn	Family	Paid Prog.	
(22)	Movie: "Mad Max"				National Geographic Explorer				Earth	Grade
(24)	Looney	Looney	Nick News	F-Troop	Mork	Van Dyke	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	M.T. Moore	Dragnet
(25)	Movie: "Cleopatra"	Movie: "The Sign of the Cross"	Reflection							
(26)	MacGyver	Movie: "Drive Like Lightning"	Matrix							
(27)	Real West	Movie: "Night Moves"	Miss Marple							
(32)	Simon & Simon	Gloria	Gimme B.	Cousteau's Rediscovery	News	Golf Show	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.		
(34)	"The Profane Comedy"	Street Justice	Gift of Love	News						
(39)	Business	Sport Sun.	Primenews	Week in Review	World News					

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 12, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) College Basketball: Big East Tournament	College Basketball: Big East Tournament	Cheers	H'mooner						
(5)	Big Jake	Mansion	Movie: "Batman"	700 Club	Scarecr.-King					
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Figure Skating: Men s	Movie: "In the Arms of a Killer"						
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Family	Step by S	Getting By	Where-Live	20/20	News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Are You Being Served? Marathon						
(11)	College Basketball: ACC Tournament	College Basketball: Atlantic Coast Conference Tournament	Sportsctr.							
(12)	Video Prime	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	Encore!	Club Dance					
(13)	Entertain.	Edison	G. Palace	Major Dad	Design. W.	Bob	Picket Fences	News		
(14)	Pregame	NBA Basketball: Milwaukee Bucks at Boston Celtics	Rinkside	Sportsclub	Skiing	Basketball				
(15)	Night Train-Kathmandu	Movie: Exposure	Movie: "Zandalee"							
(17)	FernGully	B Boop	Movie: "Spoon"	Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson"						
(18)	Philadelphia Experiment	Movie: "White Mischief"	Movie: "The King of the Kickboxers"							
(20)	College Hockey: Hockey East Quarterfinal	College Basketball: Big 8 Quarterfinal	Thirtysomething							
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: "Perfect People"	Movie: "The Master Gunfighter"						
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "There Was a Crooked Man"	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"						
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop
(25)	Save-Films	Movie: Becky Sharp	Save-Films	Movie: "Laura"	Save-Films	Gunga Din				
(26)	Quantum Leap	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "Every Which Way but Loose"	The Take						
(27)	In Search Of...	Time Machine	Investigative Reports	Caroline's Comedy Hour	Evening at the Improv					
(32)	College Basketball: Big East Quarterfinal	College Basketball: Big East Quarterfinal	News	Night Court	Comedy					
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Magnificent Thief"	News	Suspect	Danger				
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News					

MONDAY EVENING MARCH 15, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) Cheers	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at New York Rangers	SportsBeat	Cheers	H'mooner					
(5)	Waltons	Young Riders	Billy Graham Crusade	700 Club	Scarecr.-King					
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Home	Movie: "Woman on the Edge"					
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	FBI-Story	Movie: "Stakeout"						
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	The King and I: Recording a Dream	Jim Croce	Bradshaw-Fam.	Charlie Rose					
(11)	Sportsctr.	Basketball	Auto Racing: South African Grand Prix	Dick Clark	Club Dance					
(12)	Video Prime	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	News						
(13)	Entertain.	Edison	Shade	Hearts	Murphy B.	Love-War	Northern Exposure	News		
(14)	Golf	Celtics Wk	College Baseball: Maine at Jacksonville	Don Cherry	Kickboxing					
(15)	Robot Jox	Cont'd	Movie: "Conflict of Interest"	Mob Stones	Movie: "Scissors"					
(17)	Willy Wonka	Avonlea	Movie: "Anastasia"	Sinatra Years						
(18)	Robin Hood of Thieves	Movie: "The Addams Family"	Movie: "Immortal Sins"	Dying Yng						
(20)	Preseason Baseball: Boston Red Sox vs. Detroit Tigers		Skiing Magazine	Swimming and Diving						
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: "Getting Up and Going Home"	Thirtysomething						
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Harley-Davidson	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"						
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop
(25)	Movie: "My Little Chickadee"	Murder, She Wrote	WWF: Monday Raw	Matrix	MacGyver					
(26)	Quantum Leap	Wolper Pres.	Sherlock Holmes	Lovejoy	Evening at the Improv					
(27)	In Search Of...	Time Machine	Investigative Reports	Caroline's Comedy Hour	Evening at the Improv					
(32)	Gimme B.	Gloria	Simon & Simon	Barnaby Jones	News					
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Mask"	News	Night Court	Kojak				
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News					

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 13, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) Golden G.	Golden G.	Movie: Young Catherine	Movie: Young Catherine						
(5)	Rin Tin Tin	Zorro	Young Riders	Movie: Ironside	Bonanza					
(6)	Grizzly Adams	Figure Skating: World Championships	Reasonable Doubts	News	Sat. Night					
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Young Indiana Jones and Mystery of Blues	Commish	News	In Concert				
(10)	Peter, Paul & Mommy, Too	Paul Simon: Born at the Right Time								
(11)	Basketball	College Basketball: Great Midwest Championship	College Basketball: WAC Championship	Sportsctr.						
(12)	Texas Connection	Opry	GrandOpry	Stallion	American Music Shop	Opry	GrandOpry			
(13)	Untouchables	Medicine Woman	How d They Do That?	Deep Space 9	News					
(14)	Baseball	Skunk	NHL Hockey: Buffalo Sabres at Hartford Whalers	College Hockey						
(15)	Almost an Angel	Movie: "Memoirs of an Invisible Man"	Movie: "The Mambo Kings"							
(17)	Movie: "The Love Bug"	Movie: "Max Dugan Returns"	Movie: "The Chosen"							
(18)	Doc Hollywood	Movie: "Basket Case"	Movie: "One False Move"	Martial-2						
(20)	College Hockey: Hockey East Quarterfinal	College Basketball: Big 8 Tournament Semifinal	Basketball							
(21)	The Last Frontier	Movie: "Death Dreams"	Hidden	Confession	Unsolved Mysteries					
(22)	WCW Saturday Night	Movie: "The Blue Lightning"	Movie: "Travis McGee"							
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	R house	Ren-Stumpy	Afraid?	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore
(25)	Citizen Kane	Cont'd	Save-Films	Movie: "The Diary of Anne Frank"						
(26)	Matrix	Movie: "Going Berserk"	Silk Stalkings	My Bloody Valentine						
(27)	Travelquest	Hm. Again	Movie: "Charley Varrick"	Comedy on the Road	Caroline's Comedy Hour					
(32)	Gimme B.	Boss?	Simon & Simon	News	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Phoenix Suns					
(34)	Runaway	Design. W.	Movie: "Conspiracy of Hearts"	News	Suspect	Danger				
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews	Both Sides	Sources	World News				

TUESDAY EVENING MARCH 16, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) Cheers	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins vs. New Jersey Devils	Hockey	Cheers	H'mooner					
(5)	Waltons	Young Riders	Father Dowling	700 Club	Scarecr.-King					
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Quantum Leap	What Happened?	Dateline	News				
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Full House	Mr. Cooper	Roseanne	Jackie T.	Homefront	News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	American Experience	Bradshaw-Fam.	Charlie Rose						
(11)	Sportsctr.	NHL Hockey: Teams to Be Announced	Basketball: Ch. Fag	Sportsctr.						
(12)	Video Prime	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	On Stage	Club Dance					
(13)	Entertain.	Edison	NBA Basketball: Celtics at Warriors	Rescue 911	News					
(14)	Celtics Wk	NHL Hockey: Hartford Whalers at Tampa Bay Lightning	Movie: "Hired to Kill"							
(15)	New-Pippi	Memors	Movie: "Memoirs of an Invisible Man"	Movie: "Hired to Kill"						
(17)	Pulstuf	Cont'd	Wait Disney Presents	Movie: "Showdown"						
(18)	Over the Top	Cont'd	Movie: "Into the Sun"	Movie: "To Kill a King"						
(20)	Preseason Baseball: Boston Red Sox vs. Cleveland Indians		Team Preview	Major Indoor Lacrosse						
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: "Murder in Black and White"	Thirtysomething						
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Helter Skelter"	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop				
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Troop
(25)	Movie: "Suez"	Murder, She Wrote	Boxing: John Scully vs. Tony Thornton	MacGyver						
(26)	Quantum Leap	Wolper Pres.	Sherlock Holmes	Lovejoy	Evening at the Improv					
(27)	In Search Of...	Biography	Lady Day: Blue Holiday	Movie: "Time W. Tell"	Evening at the Improv					
(32)	Gimme B.	Preseason Baseball: New York Mets vs. Philadelphia Phillies	News	Sts. of Frisco						
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Back Roads"	News	Night Court	Kojak				
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News					

WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 17, 1993

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
	(3) Cheers	Murphy B.	Time Trax	Kung Fu: The Legend	Golden G.	Hogan	Cheers	H'mooner		
(5)	Waltons	Young Riders	Father Dowling	700 Club	Scarecr.-King					
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Unsolved Mysteries	Homicide: Life	Law & Order	News				
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wonder Y.	Doogie H.	Home Imp	Coach	Sirens	News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	James Taylor in Concert	Bradshaw and the Family	Charlie Rose						
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: National Invitation Tournament	College Basketball: National Invitation Tournament	Sportsctr.						
(12)	Video Prime	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	On Stage	Club Dance					
(13)	Entertain.	Edison	How'd They Do That?	In the Heat of the Night	48 Hours	News				
(14)	In Ring	Tennis	Olympic Showcase	Crypt Tales	Dream On	White Men Can't Jump				
(15)	"Across the Tracks"	Movie: "Radio Flyer"	Sinatra: Man and Music	Movie: "Gaslight"						
(17)	Big, Friendly Giant	World-World	American in Pasadena	Movie: "Little Sister"						
(18)	"Beetlejuice" Cont'd	Movie: "Kill Cruise"	Preseason Baseball: Red Sox vs. Yankees							
(20)	AHL Hockey: Springfield Indians at Providence Bruins									
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: "Fatal Sky"							
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Bloodsport"	Harley-Davidson	Movie: "Class of 1984"					
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F-Trap
(25)	Movie: "A Woman Rebels"		Silver Screen	Movie: "Mary of Scotland"						
(26)	Quantum Leap	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "I'm Dangerous Tonight"							
(27)	In Search Of...	Our Century	Am. Justice	Spies	Around the World	Evening at the Improv				
(32)	Gimme B.	Temps.	Simon & Simon	Barnaby Rudge	Movie					
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Detour to Nowhere"	News	Night Court	Renegade				
(40)	Macneil	Crossfire	Primernews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline			



NEW FACES--The Bethel Citizen has two new customer service representatives. Catherine Ponte, left, is an advertising and graphic arts assistant. She is an experienced newspaper typesetter, pastes up The Citizen and will help serve customers' advertising needs. Nancy Wight of Newry is the new receptionist. She greets customers, answers the telephone and manages the office supply store.

Jackson-Silver Post

Members of the Post, along with family and friends gathered together at their Legion Hall Thursday, Feb. 15, at 6:30 p.m. for their annual Oyster Stew Supper. The stew, made by Brian Strickland, was delicious, rich and tasty. It was good to have a few members from other Posts, including the Rumford and Bethel Posts, to enjoy it with us.

Following the supper it was a pleasure to have a "surprise presentation" of a Life Membership along with a beautiful plaque to one of the older members, Comrade Cleveland Lovejoy, by Post Commander Raymond Tripp.

"Cleve," who resides in West Bethel with his family, has been a member since 1945. A veteran of World War II he served as Post Commander in 1975 and 1976 while his wife Kathryn was the Auxiliary President.

Cleve, a man of a few words, was a member of the Post Orchestra in the earlier days. He is a very gifted musician playing the accordion, piano and organ. The orchestra played at benefit dances which, along with the beano games, helped finance the Legion Post program and benefits. He transported his organ in his truck for many miles.

Others who donated their time and talent included Cleve's own daughter Dorothy, with Basil Green and Elden Hathaway on the drums, Cecil Kimball on the violin, John Howe and Ivan Proctor on the saxophones, Sterling Mills on the piano, Celia Lamb on the Trombone and Kathryn Lovejoy and Irene Mills, soloists.

From the Bethel Area

Chmb. of Commerce

Welcome to our newest allied member, The Bear Facts, Diana Taylor-Wright, from South Waterford.

The Board of Directors will be meeting for the regular monthly meeting on Thursday, March 11 at 7:30 a.m.

The retailers met last Thursday to discuss the summer shoppers' guide, which is an upcoming project. Any one not present at this meeting and wishing information on it should call the office. Many thanks to Rene McGrew for chairing this meeting.

Many apologies to the Bethel Citizen for inadvertently omitting them from the list of Ski Challenge Sponsors in the last newsletter.

East Bethel

By NANCY MERCER

Donna Barnard of Andover visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith on Mar. 3.

Polly Smith visited Freda Edmonds in South Paris on Feb. 28. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wilkes of Cumberland visited at the Bartlett Homestead on Feb. 28.

Denise Coolidge came home on Mar. 6 from UMO for a two-week vacation.

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North Newry

By GIL SEELEY

The Newry Firemen Ladies Auxiliary food sale of Feb. 19 was a great success. We want to thank everyone who donated food and money. God bless. Sheila Fleet was the lucky winner of the 50/50 lottery.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club's oyster stew and potluck supper was a great get-together on the 20th at the Grange Hall. About 65 people showed up. All you have to do is mention something to eat and everyone comes from all around....We do love to eat.

Karlene Bachelder celebrated her 65th birthday with her husband and a few friends last week. Happy Birthday, friend.

The members of the Newry Bowling Gang who went to the Oxford Lanes were: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Eleanor Davis, Bea Lowell and Sylvia Wight. Of the "lefties" Karlene was high on the triples. Betsy was high on the singles with one string of 112 to Karlene's 102. Of the "righties" Eleanor was high on the "average" and also high on the singles. Karlene had four spares and one strike; Betsy had three spares and one strike; Eleanor had one strike and one spare; Bea had two spares and Sylvia two spares. All went to lunch and did some shopping.

The Newry Recreation Board is sponsoring the fourth Annual Newry Community Winter Carnival on Sunday, Mar. 14 at noon. We will be serving chili and hot dogs for lunch, and we will be holding our famous "Pole, Paw and Tube" Race. Snowmobile rides, a hunt for the Pot of Gold, and a whole lot more activities are planned. All ages are invited to attend, and there is no charge.... Where did you say? At the Newry Town Office building. That's where. Hope to see you all there Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hayes and son J.C. from Portland came to North Newry to spend a day last week with Jeff's sister Karlene and Ras Bachelder.

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officers' chairs were filled. There will be a Pythian Home meeting on Mar. 27 at Woodfords. Florence Morrison was installed as guard by Sister Arlene Merrill. At the Mar. 5 meeting the birthday of Joseph Addison Hill, founder of the Pythian Sisters, will be observed.

Arlene Merrill is to have an operation on her leg on Mar. 25.

One day last week I went on a snowmobile ride with son Albert Nelson, Jr. We left from home and went to the Stoneham Store and then on to No. Waterford and on the Bla'guard Road where we saw the "Hand on Rock." This seemed so interesting. It was a print of a large hand chiseled into a big, old rock. There were initials and writing but we couldn't make out what it said. The story goes that an Indian did this many years ago. Does anyone out there know the story behind this? It's on the Old County Road. It was a beautiful day but the snow is settling fast now--heard that we are to get another good storm this weekend.

I was so interested to read about the lynx or bobcat in the Bethel area and just today learned that one was seen in the West Stoneham area, and when they come into a person's kitchen, that seems a bit too much. One had a housecat pinned against the kitchen window, and when the owner saw what was going on, he thought it was a neighbor's cat so he opened the window to let his cat in and they both came in.

One night last week, Albert Nelson, Jr. saw a coy dog while out snowmobiling on the Sweden trail. I love animals but the wild ones are getting too close for comfort. I'll have to teach my cat to shut her door behind her when she comes in from the cellar, as she can get in and out of doors that way, and if she can others could, too, I guess.

Our sympathy is with the family of Warren Dudley who passed away recently. Warren and Mary were former residents of East Stoneham.

The Community Calendar

Wednesday, March 10 at 11:00 a.m.: Bethel Senior Citizens will meet at the Methodist Church. Please bring your money for the trip to the flower show at Scarborough March 19. Speaker will be Joe Perham. Six seats left.

Career Awareness day for area freshmen from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. at Telstar High School.

Saturday, March 13 at 2:00 p.m.: The Area Resources for Kids (ARK) program, working with the University of Maine Cooperative Extension will hold a free children's concert at the Second Congregational Church in Norway. Roger Tinknell, musician, will give the free concert. Space will be limited, so seating will be on a first-come first-serve basis. Donations will be accepted. For more info call 1-800-287-1482.

Odyssey of the Mind Regional Tournament at Mountain Valley Middle School in Mexico from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Forty-five students from Crescent Park, Telstar Middle School and Telstar High School will present their problem solutions at this competition.

Androscoggin Valley Community Orchestra presents two classic silent films with live orchestral accompaniment at 8 p.m. Featuring music by Von Suppe, Cadman and authentic theater music of the 1920s. The films are Harold Lloyd's "Safety Last" and Edward S. Curtis' "In the Land of the War Canoes." Lewiston Junior High Auditorium. Tickets \$5/\$3. For more information call 782-1181.

Air Brake Adjustment Certification Course at Nova Office, Mexico from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Sunday, March 14 at 7:30 p.m.: Community Concerts presents "Travelin' Light"--Sam Pilafian plays his jazz tuba accompanied by Frank Vignola, guitar and banjo; Joe Ascione, snare drum; Don Keiling, rhythm guitar and vocals. The performance will be held at the Muskie Auditorium at Mountain Valley School in Rumford.

4th Annual Newry Community Winter Carnival at Newry Town Office at noon. For information call 824-3244 or 824-3123.

Monday, March 15, 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.: Rural Health Forum at conference Room A, Rumford Community Hospital.

Tuesday, March 16 at 6:30 p.m.: The Western Maine After 5 Club will hold their monthly ladies' meeting at Goldstreet Restaurant in South Paris. Special feature will be provided by Joan Markey, area representative from the American Cancer Society. Joan Cannuli will entertain with special music and special speaker will be Marge Davis of Bristol.

The menu includes chicken Kiev, salad, vegetable and dessert. The price is \$7.50 inclusive. Reservations are needed and can be made by calling (by Mar. 12) Martha at 743-0260, Ellen at 647-8138 or Debby at 836-3763.

District Exchange: Open every Tuesday and Wednesday, 1-4 p.m. and Thursday, 11-4 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

support group for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Norway/South Paris on Tuesdays, 9-10:30 a.m. and in Rumford on Fridays, 9-10:30 a.m. Child care is available. For more information, call 824-3600.

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Summer hours, 1-6:30 p.m.

Hamilin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

REACH -- Sexual Abuse Helpline: 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse--past or present. 24 hour service in Oxford County.

Every Wednesday: Gilead Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Purity Chapter 102,

OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting. Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office.

First and Third Wednesday of Each Month: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday of Each Month: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town office, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday of Each Month: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday of Each Month: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Casco Bank, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM.

S.H.A.R.E. support group for bereaved parent suffering loss of infant or miscarriage, at Stephens Memorial Hospital 7-9 p.m. For information call 824-2913.

CPS PTA will meet from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Third Thursday of Each Month: Fish & Game, at the Bethel United Methodist Church; potluck supper 6 p.m.; meeting at 7 p.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, at Newry municipal building, 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday of

Each Month: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Friday: Friday Gift Shop, at the Bethel United Methodist Church, during summer, 1-5 p.m.

United Snowboarders meet at the upper Jack Frost Shop at Sunday River at 5:00 p.m. For info call 824-2571.

Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

Third Friday of Each Month: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Second Saturday of Each Month: Woodstock Historical Society, 7 p.m. Woodstock Historical Society Museum, summer months.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, at the Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer St., West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Third Sunday of Each Month: Episcopal House Church at the Bohrs on Chapman Street, Bethel, 4 p.m.

First Monday of Each Month: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.

Second and fourth Monday of Each Month: SAD #44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

Second Monday of Each Month: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

First and Third Monday of Each Month: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First Tuesday of Each Month: State Representative Rick Bennett will be at the meeting of the Greenwood Selectmen at the town Office, Locke Mills.

Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover I of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

Second Tuesday of Each Month: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

LaLeche League meets at Bethel Area Health Center, 7 p.m. Call 836-3567 for more information.

Bethel Snow Twisters, meet at Casco Bank, 7 p.m., fall and winter months.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

First and Third Tuesday of Each Month: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMICAN) Support, education and advocacy for families of children with major mental illness or emotional/behavioral disorders meets in the Former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Rumford. Contact "Diane" at 369-0542.

Third Tuesday of Each Month: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour--6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.

AUTOMATIC WASH demonstrates its recently on Cross \$1.75, a fully automatic carwash is al

NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF SKIERS VISIT

Over 700 skiers will visit the Resort March 11-12. National Brotherhood holds its annual ski

The visit represents the NBS has selected resort for its meeting row. The organization over 75 ski clubs, 20,000 members.

In addition to competitive alpine skiing for participants and support to develop minority skiers winter sports area

TROOP 565 MEETING

The weekly meeting of Troop 565 Bethel, Wednesday, March 3, Congregational Church.

The meeting will be a Pledge of Allegiance, Corniveau, Scott Gross, and Scott Ojeda.

During the evening their book advancement, a lecture by Axel

The meeting close by Jake A

RETIRED TEACHERS

The Oxford Teachers will Mar. 20, at the Methodist Church. The meeting at 10:30 a.m. will be a program of environmental, Chandler of the vice. The school will be a book

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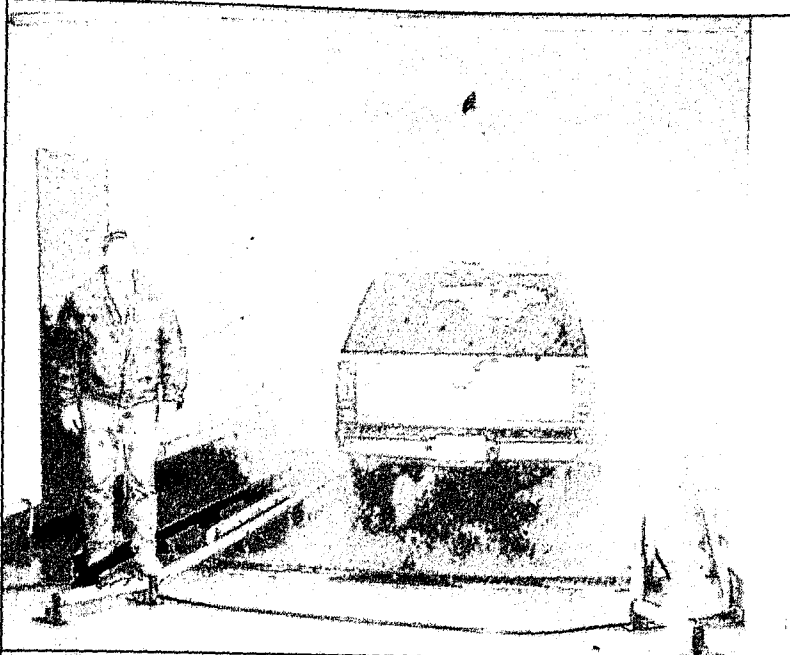
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AUTOMATIC WASHER--Dan's Carwash owner Dan Davis of Bethel demonstrates his automatic carwashing bay. The carwash opened recently on Cross Street. It features do-your-own hosing starting at \$1.75, a fully automatic wash and wax for \$6 and outside vacuums. The carwash is all self-service and open 24-hours-a-day.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Local OMers sharpening their wits

By DONNA RICHARDS

The Western Maine Odyssey of the Mind Regional Tournament will be held on Saturday, Mar. 13, starting at 8 a.m. at the Mountain Valley Middle School in Mexico.

Teams are judged on how well they meet the problem requirements determined by the Odyssey of the Mind organization. Students must complete all work without any adult assistance, which includes deciding on the ideas to solve the problem, researching the material and skills they will need to get their problem solution, building props and structures, making costumes, writing skits, and working as a team to resolve both technical and creative challenges.

Teams that place first will be eligible to compete against first-place teams from Southern, Eastern, Northern, and Central regions of the state at the OM State Tournament, which will be held at the University

of Maine in Orono on April 3.

The following local teams will be competing at the Mountain Valley Middle School Division 1 (grades four and five)--from Crescent Park School:

Dinosaurs--Emily Gilbert, Casey Gilbert, Amanda McGrew, Thomas Parsons, Sarah Reed, Daniel Stevens, and Ben Vonderheide. Team coaches are Debbie Gilbert and Althea Stevens.

Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Darcy Baker, Samantha Mullen, Taleah Paradis, Colin Penley, Sarah Rackliffe, Tom Reed, and Sarah Vaddella. Team coaches are Kelly Vascik and Lisa Vonderheide.

Which End Is Up?--Jain Bean, Lisa Crowell, Stephanie Gavett, Angus Graham, Heather Roderick, and Rebecca Rolford. Team coach is Denise Roderick.

Folk Tales--Paige Brown, Patrick Donovan, Annie Kennett, Sarah Marshall, Emily Parsons, and

Stephanie Vaughan. Team coach is Amy Chapman.

Division 2 (grades six, seven and eight)--from Telstar Middle School:

Which End Is Up?--Phoebe Brown, Sarah Crocker, Jayson Hebert, Kyle Moran, Cathy Morgan, Emily Morton, and Jenny Mae Wheeler. Team coach is Walter Hatch.

The Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Caitlin Bass, Katie Chapman, Michelle McInnis, Martha Grover, Teri Chadbourne, and Laurie Young. Coaches are Donna Richard and Jean Bass.

Division 3 (grades nine, 10, 11, and 12)--from Telstar High School:

The Old Man and the Sea Analogy--Jacob Annis, Becky Chandler, Lydia Grover, Teresa Curtis, Melissa Howe and Dawn Seames. Team coach is Nancy Grover.

STATEWIDE GATHERING FOR WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV

Many women in Maine are living with HIV; about 250 to 350 are infected and others are deeply affected because they are parenting children with HIV or are close to someone with the virus. Some are both infected and affected. Because of the fear of discrimination and/or rejection by family, friends or communities, many women, especially those in the more rural areas, have no one or few others to talk with about their situation.

The Women's HIV Support Program holds strictly confidential, statewide gatherings in different regions throughout the year, free of charge, to women living with HIV. Openings are still available for the fourth gathering, which will be held in the Sebago Lake area on Mar. 14 to 16, offering workshops, discussions, sharing, relaxation and time for fun to women infected or deeply affected by HIV.

To register or for more information call Down East AIDS Network 667-3506. Help with transportation may be available.

NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF SKIERS VISITS

Over 700 African-American skiers will visit Sunday River Ski Resort March 11 through 14 as the National Brotherhood of Skiers holds its annual Eastern Summit.

The visit represents the first time the NBS has selected the same ski resort for its meeting two years in a row. The organization consists of over 75 ski clubs with more than 20,000 members.

In addition to recreational and competitive alpine and nordic skiing for participants, the NBS identifies and provides scholarship support to develop Olympic caliber minority skiers, and promotes winter sports among minorities.

TROOP 565 MEETS

The weekly meeting of Boy Scout Troop 565 Bethel was held Wednesday, March 3 at the West Parish Congregational Church.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance by Freeman Corriveau, Scout Oath by Randy Gross, and Scout Law by Alex Ojeda.

During the evening the Scouts updated their books for the next rank advancement, and dues were collected by Axel Annis.

The meeting was brought to a close by Jake Annis.

Rotary Club notes

The Tuesday, March 2 meeting was the monthly club assembly. President Jeff Parsons presided over the meeting.

Vocational service director, Marilyn Wyman reported that plans were complete for the upcoming Career Day at Telstar High School. This is an annual event that gives a tremendous opportunity to students to learn about up to four different careers directly from professionals.

International service director, Wendy Penley reported that plans are going forward for the Spanish-American Youth Exchange this summer. There is also discussion pending regarding another smaller Rotary sponsored exchange program. Steve Wight made an announcement regarding an opportunity that the Newry Recreation Board is organizing to send Bethel area youth to Newry, Ireland later this summer. For more information on this call Steve at 824-2410.

Community service director, George Larson advised that the upcoming pancake breakfast was well organized and would be benefiting Rotary's Educational Assistance Fund.

Club service director, Scott Dennis informed the club that the committee was planning a club social. David Murphy volunteered to organize this. Scott also chairs the Scholarship Committee which will be meeting in the next weeks to review this process.

David Murphy, who chairs the Fundraising Committee, has several ideas for future events. Rick Flint is going to head up the Mollycoddle Day food project as well as a golf tournament, planned for August. Wendy Penley will be taking charge of the Rotary food booth at the Bethel Air Fair.

John Head made an announcement regarding an upcoming Australian Exchange, May 23 through 27.

President Elect Nancy Harrison invited club members to join her and several other Rotarians at the Windham Rotary Club 10th Anniversary Social. She also reminded members of the May 1 District Assembly to be held at the University of New England in Biddeford.

Visitors for the morning were Charles Whittier, Portland; Bill Newell, Oxford Hills; Lennie Shaw, Gorham; Shirley Powell, Rumford and Barbara Testani.

Task Force notes:

Two subcommittees of the Bethel Area Task Force have met recently and will discuss their work at the next Task Force meeting on Mar. 21. A group led by John Shorb is designing ways of addressing community issues around cultural and ethnic diversity. Gwyneth Bohr heads a team developing a progress report on Task Force activities and Community Action Group projects. She will share this information with the NTL membership meeting in mid-March and will report from the NTL conference at the Task Force meeting.

The Task Force will meet at 7 p.m. at the Bingham House on Sunday, Mar. 21. All members and other interested community members are invited to hear the above reports, as well as updates from Community Action Groups and advance planning for the NTL season.



Sherry Rose

SHERRY ROSE TAKES NEW POSITION AT AHHS

Sherry Rose of Bethel was recently named as quality assurance coordinator for Androscoggin Home Health Service.

Rose has been a member of the AHHS staff since June of 1991, initially based in the agency's Norway office and serving as a psychiatric/medical/surgical home care nurse. She has also worked in critical-care nursing at St. Joseph's Hospital in Bangor as well as psychiatric nursing in Boston.

Rose completed her Bachelor of Science in Nursing at the University of Connecticut in 1986. She will begin graduate studies in community health nursing at the University of Southern Maine later this year. She is certified in psychiatric nursing, advanced cardiac life support, and has taken AHHS training to serve as an AHHS hospice volunteer. In 1990, she was honored at St. Joseph's Hospital as the medical/surgical nurse who best represented the hospital's mission. She is a member of the American Nurses Association and the Maine State Nursing Association.

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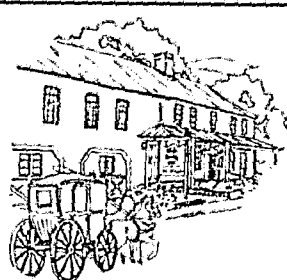


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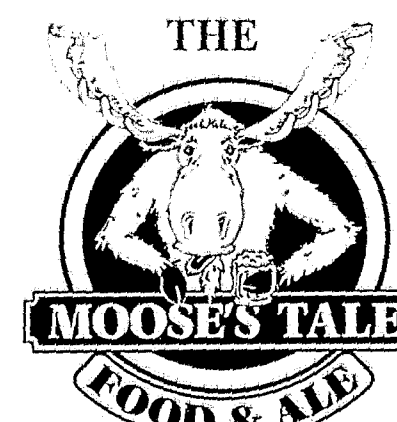
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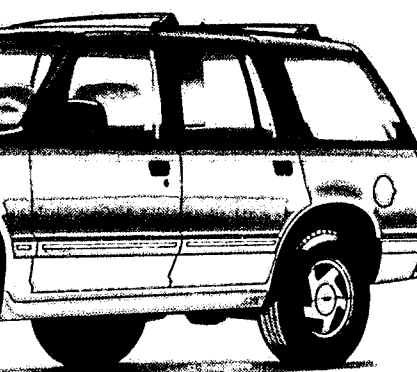
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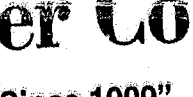
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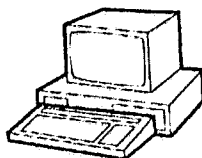
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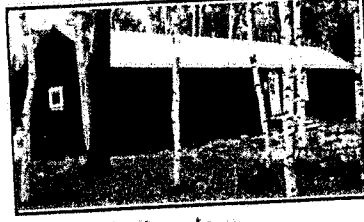
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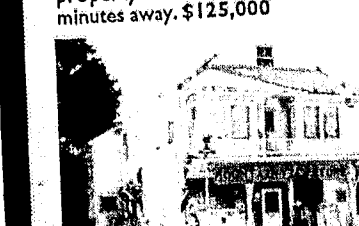
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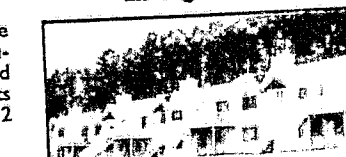
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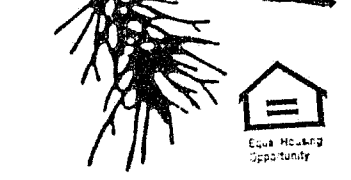


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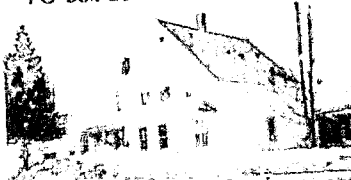
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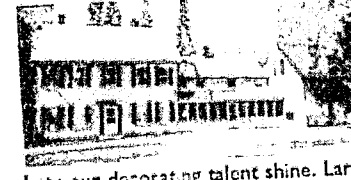
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THOUGHTS FROM THE Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words comfort and hope for your daily life.

The 23rd Psalm, to be read in most churches next Sunday, is probably the most familiar and the most beloved psalm of all the psalms. What is its appeal?

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." In the midst of the chaos, uncertainty and neediness of our times, and all times, we are reminded that God will care for us and God will provide. Even people in cities who are unfamiliar with the pastoral imagery are calmed by this image which moves on through the poem. "He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters."

"He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake." Even in the midst of our pettiness, unkindness and greediness, we long for something better, for goodness. God will revitalize us, not because of our goodness or in spite of our badness, but for God's own sake. We can relax!

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;

thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over." We need fear nothing—not death, nor evil, nor enemies for God is with us blessing us. We can be joyful.

"Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever." What assurance! We are confident that we can live forever in the goodness and mercy of God's presence.

I believe it is the real security and comfort offered in this psalm that appeals to people in all ages. We have sought security in every way we know—from insurance, government, work, family. We have sought comfort by every means we can think of—family, possessions, friends. Yet deep in our hearts we yearn for something more lasting than the temporal. It is not surprising that people who are dying request this 23rd psalm and this is the psalm most likely to be read at their funerals to comfort those who mourn. The psalm gives us the blessed assurance that the Lord will protect us, free us from fear and care for us all our lives long and be present to us forever. The 23rd psalm appeals to our deep yearning for the eternal, for security and comfort that will last.

The Rev. Gwyneth Bohr
Episcopal Priest

Davidians are not Adventists

(The Northern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists of Portland has requested that the following clarification be published.) "Branch Davidians" in the news today have no connection with the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Several splinter groups away from Victor Houteff, who was dis-fellowshipped from the Seventh-day Adventist Church and its ministry at Los Angeles in 1929, Vernon Howell assumed leadership of the current Waco group in 1988 after being acquitted following a shoot-out with George Roden.

The 1988 gun battle was in dispute of the Mount Carmel property near Waco, Tx., which George said was his, following the death of his Father Ben in 1978.

Through the years, the group—which has changed leaders and membership as further splinters were developed—have called themselves The Shepherd's Rod, Davidian Seventh-day Adventists, Branch Davidians, and the Davidians. Not one of them is known to hold membership in a Seventh-day Adventist Church at Waco or any other place. Howell was dis-fellowshipped from the Tyler, Tx., congregation in 1981.

Leaders of the various groups have included Victor Houteff's widow Florence, Ben Roden, Lois Roden, George Roden, and Vernon Howell.

Seventh-day Adventists total more than seven million in 208 countries worldwide. They promote the sanctity of the family, practice allegiance to government, observe the seventh-day (Saturday) Sabbath, believe in a second advent of Christ, follow a non-violent lifestyle, and acknowledge Christ as the Judge of the universe.

While North American membership exceeds 783,000, about nine of every 10 Adventists live in other nations.

CARD OF THANKS

Crescent Pard 3rd grade would like to thank those who supported us at our two recent fund-raisers. To all the parents who baked goodies, sent in Donations (money and food) at the supper and movies, and those who came. A special thanks to West Parish Congo Church for hosting our supper, to Cisco & Poncho's for BIG pots and Gliddens IGA for food donations. The tremendous success will allow us to go on all planned field trips. Thank You,

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Many thanks to all who have been so good to my family and me during my sickness.

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Births

Violet Palmer of Bryant Pond is pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Zachary Austin Palmer, born on Feb. 24, 1993, at 2:08 p.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 lbs, 2 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Herman and Nancy Palmer of Bryant Pond. Zachary joins a sister, Lacey, 11, and a brother, Justin, 6.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Bethel United Methodist Women met on Thursday, Mar. 4 at the church dining room. Following opening devotions and reports, communications were read from the Maine conference and the Southern District of United Methodist Women.

Members reported 29 sick calls. Lyndell Carter reported for the Luncheon Committee and asked for suggestions. Discussion followed. Members present signed the American Family Association petition of support advertisement which expresses outrage at the violence and crime portrayed in today's movies, TV, videos and recordings.

Further discussion included plans for craft projects to be worked on for Friday Gift Shop. Refreshments were served and a short work session followed.

AFTER 5 CLUB

The Western Maine After 5 Club will hold their monthly ladies' meeting on Tuesday, Mar. 16, at 6:30 p.m. at Goldstreet Restaurant in South Paris.

The special feature will be provided by Joan Markey, area representative from the American Cancer Society. Joan Cannuli will entertain the group with special music. The special speaker is Marge Davis from Bristol.

The menu includes chicken kiev, salad, vegetable, and dessert. The price is \$7.50 inclusive. Reservations are needed and can be made by calling (by March 12, please) Martha at 743-0260, Ellen at 647-8138, or Debby at 836-3763.

VAIL NAMED V.P. OF MAINE DAIRY GOAT COUNCIL

Heather Vail of Garden Path Farm in Greenwood has been elected vice president of the Maine Dairy Goat Council.

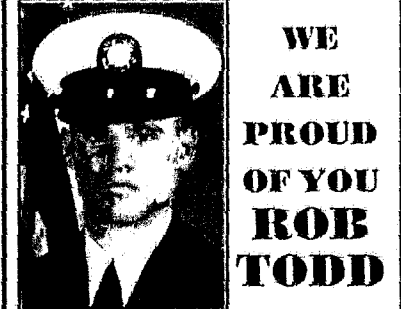
The MDGC was formed to promote Maine dairy goats and products related to them, such as milk, cheese, chevon and soap. The council also serves as a contact point for people interested in learning more about goats.

Other officers elected at the March meeting include President Dick Saucier of Merrymeeting Farm in Topsham, and Secretary/Treasurer Prue Cundy of Serenity Farm in North Edgcomb.

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Obituaries

SERENA F. BUCK

Serena F. Buck, 80, of Route 232 Bethel, died Mar. 2, 1993, at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston, where she had been a patient for 12 days.

She was born Aug. 31, 1912 in Rumford, the daughter of George and Nellie Jewel Kerr. She was educated in Rumford schools. In recent years, she had made her home with her great-granddaughter, Tina Martin of Bethel. She was predeceased by two husbands, John Gigliotti and Urban Buck.

Mrs. Buck is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John (Mary) Hall of Rumford and Joan Sciotte of Mexico; and two sisters, Mrs. Wilfred (Zella) Dube of Rumford and Mrs. William (Edith) Vaillancourt of Mexico.

At the request of the deceased, there will be a graveside service at St. John Cemetery later in the spring. Should friends desire, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 456, Brunswick, ME 04011 in memory of Mrs. Buck. Arrangements under the direction of the S.G. Thibault Funeral Home, Rumford.

ALICE JODREY

Mrs. Alice V. Jodrey, 72, a lifelong resident of Andover, died Saturday, March 6, 1993 at the Rumford Community Hospital.

She was born in Andover on March 4, 1921, the daughter of Virgil and Dorothy Roberts Cole. She graduated from Andover High School class of 1938. She had been employed at the R. J. Swain Dowel Mill and then worked at Andover Wood Products and G. H. Bass for several years until retirement. She was married in Rumford Center on Dec. 18, 1938 to John W. Jodrey Sr.

She is survived by her husband, John, of Andover; four sons, John Jodrey Jr. of Mexico, Leroy Jodrey of Canton, and Kenneth and Richard Jodrey, both of Andover; five daughters, Mrs. Hanson (Elaine) Morton and Mrs. Owen (Virginia) Morton, both of Andover, Mrs. Loretta Huston of Sanford, Mrs. Alfred (Robert) Roy of Frye, and Mrs. James (Rosemary) Taylor of Mexico; one brother, Arthur Cole of Andover; 32 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a daughter, Dorothy Amy Jodrey, and a grandson, Alfred Roy Jr.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, 3 Franklin St., Rumford, with Rev. Ronald Ashworth officiating. Interment will be in the spring in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Andover. Those who desire may contribute to the Andover Rescue Unit, Andover, Maine 04216, in memory of Mrs. Alice Jodrey. Visitation was held at 7 p.m. on Sunday, of the Rumford-Andover-Mexico Fire Depts.

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Mr. & Mrs. James A. Fiske

James A. Fiske and Jeanne Maroney of Bryn Mawr, Pa., are announcing their marriage which took place on Dec. 17, 1992, at Pittsburgh, Pa. The bride attended schools in Bryn Mawr, Pa., and graduated from Smith College in Northampton, Mass. She is the daughter of Peter B. Maroney of Berwyn, Pa., and of Dr. Stephanie Maroney of Elkins Park, Pa. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. James Fiske of Bethel, attended local schools and graduated from Bowdoin College. He is employed by Chubb Insurance Group. The couple are now residing at 922 Tally Drive, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PASSENGER RAIL SERVICE: A 'MAINEWATCH' SPECIAL

Maine Public Television's "MaineWatch" Team turns its attention to the future of passenger rail service in Maine during its one-hour special Thursday, Mar. 11, at 8 p.m. Special coverage is given Amtrak's Boston-to-Portland run scheduled to be in service late in 1993 or early in 1994.

Angus King, Bill Maroldo and Jim Brunelle look at the importance of

passenger rail service to the overall transportation needs of Maine and the country; who rides the trains and at what cost and savings; and whether train service is cost-efficient, practical and safe.

Two field reports will be included. The program opens with an overview of the topic with excerpts from the Feb. 1 public hearing in Portland determining the site for the new terminal. A later report features a nostalgic look back at the old Portland-Lewiston Interurban electric rail system, founded in 1914 by Lewiston industrialist W. Scott Libbey.

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